



Strain on police resources

Officers forced to apologise for delays in answering calls

DORSET Police are battling to keep up with a wave of summer calls at a time when force numbers have been reduced and many staff are on leave. Some calls are now taking several days to get any response at all.

The situation is being made worse by officers being switched from area to area as they try and keep pace with emergency calls. It is now common for staff from Poole or Bournemouth to be called to deal with incidents in the West of the county and staff from Dorchester and Weymouth being switched to the conurbation.

This week the police apologised for the delays in answering calls but claim that emergency calls to the 999 number are not being affected.

In a news release the force said: "In the summer, Dorset sees an influx of approximately 15 million tourists to the county. This puts increased pressure on police and other emergency services, which are funded based mainly on residential population.

In addition to the usual seasonal increase, non-emergency calls to the police have also increased considerably this year compared to the same time last year, with around 1,500 extra calls now being received each week."

Jane Jennings, Head of Contact Management said: "An unprecedented increase in calls has caused a temporary dip in our non-emergency phone service. I apologise for this and reassure the public that we are recruiting more staff to improve waiting times and callers' overall experience."

Call increases have coincided with the amalgamation of the Police Enquiry Centre and the Force Control Room to create one Force Command Centre. This new centre opened at Dorset Police Headquarters at Winfrith in June and the change will save around £1.3 million a year, which will help protect frontline local policing.

To meet the extra demand, Dorset Police has been recruiting more call handlers to be based at the new site. A number of people have already been selected and the Force will continue recruiting into this role for the next 12 months.

However, it takes a number of months from a job being advertised to applicants being selected and fully trained, so delays in answering non-emergency calls

by Trevor Bevins

at busy times are expected to continue over the summer.

Non-emergency calls to 101 or old police station telephone numbers are all routed to the Force Command Centre, where they are assessed by an operator to ensure the most important and urgent calls are answered first. If a call handler is not available immediately, callers are placed in queues depending on the priority of their call.

Calls to 101 cost 15 pence per call from landlines and mobiles, no matter what time of day or how long

on the phone. Police say that if callers choose to end the call and redial, they will be placed back at the start of the queue and charged again.

Jane Jennings continued: "We are encouraging people to use our 'Do It Online' service for non-emergency issues whenever possible. This includes options to make a general enquiry or pass a message to an officer. It also allows people to request a telephone call-back while avoiding 101 waiting times.

"I would also reassure people that our 999 service is not affected by these delays and remind them to always use this number for emergencies. People should call 999 when life or property is in immediate danger

or when they are witnessing a crime that is currently taking place."

Martyn Underhill, Dorset Police & Crime Commissioner said; "The introduction of the new Force Contact Centre and an unprecedented rise in call demand ahead of the busiest time of the year for Dorset Police has created a perfect storm.

"This has led to unacceptable delays and for that I apologise on behalf of the Force. I am working hard with the Chief Constable to ensure Dorset Police provides an effective and efficient service to residents across the county."

To help reduce 101 waiting times, Dorset Police has issued the following advice -

Peak times are between 9am and 1pm, and 4pm and 7pm, on weekdays. Calling outside these hours for general enquiries will reduce your waiting time.

The Force Command Centre is open 24 hours a day, seven days a week. To report a non-emergency incident, please call us as soon as possible, particularly if it happens at the weekend, rather than wait to call on a weekday.

Use 'Do It Online' from the front page of www.dorset.police.uk to access a range of services including making a general enquiry, leaving a message for an officer or requesting a telephone call-back.

● To join Dorset Police as a call handler log onto www.dorset.police.uk/default.aspx?page=7549



DORSET Fire Service winning tug-o-war team received their trophy from Khalique at the One World Festival in the Borough Gardens at the weekend. Story and photos on pages 6 & 7.

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ORIGINALLY from Wales, dental hygienist Katie Goodall moved to Lyme Regis with her family when she was nine, attending the Woodroffe School.

She studied for her hygiene qualification at Cardiff Dental Hospital and now lives in a small village outside Bridport with husband Gary and their two cats, and works at Lyme Bay Dentistry in Lyme Regis.

■ WHAT attracted you to a career as a dental hygienist?

When I first moved to Bridport I started work as a dental nurse and absolutely loved the job. I think I was destined to have a job working with people. I wanted to be the one treating rather than assisting and immediately began investigating career paths for dentistry. I went back to college, gained my dental nursing qualification and then applied for Cardiff in 2007. In 2008 my dream came true and my hard work had paid off when I was offered a place at Cardiff.

■ WHY did you join the team at Lyme Bay Dentistry?

When I first qualified I worked for a number of practices but soon realised I wanted to be able to give my patients quality time and not to mention work in the town I grew up in. I'm extremely privileged to work alongside the experienced and knowledgeable Dr Phillip Bennett. Lyme Bay Dentistry offers me room to progress in my job role, the ability to take on more responsibility and extend my knowledge base.

■ WHAT are your responsibilities as a dental hygienist?

My responsibilities as a hygienist are to ensure that patients' dental hygiene regimes are efficient and effectively maintained by myself. A dental hygienist can scale and polish teeth amongst other more complex procedures. I can also perform the following under the prescription of a dentist; take impressions, whitening treatments, administer local anaesthesia and take radiographs. A dental hygienist can now treat a patient under a new directive called direct access, which means a patient can make an appointment to see me without having a referral from a dentist. This makes it much easier for me to treat those who want to come to Lyme Bay Dentistry just for their dental hygiene appointments - all are welcome.

■ HOW important is dental hygiene?

My friends and family will be able to answer this even better than myself! I can't help but take my job home with me and I'm always being asked questions, my husband rolls his eyes pleading don't get her started! On a serious note dental hygiene is paramount for a healthy



smile, healthy body. Longevity is the top of most patients priority list these days. Gum disease is caused by the body's response to plaque and bacteria in the mouth, the cleaner the mouth is the less bacteria available to contribute towards not only gum disease but decay. The cleaner you keep them the longer you keep them! 95 per cent of the population are susceptible to gum disease and everyone notices a lovely smile.

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■ WHAT do you enjoy about the job?

I love getting to know my patients and building up rapport with them. Making a difference in someone's life and improving their health is paramount to me. Not many people realise the impact dental hygiene has on our health.

■ WHAT are your personal interests?

I love socialising with my family and friends and particularly love dining out! I like to exercise and have recently taken up running and completed Plymouth half marathon this April with my husband. I also enjoy Zumba at least once a week. My favourite pastime however is going on holiday!

■ WHAT do you like about the local area?

I can't imagine not living by the sea and I just think we are so lucky to live in an area where people pay to come on holiday. I feel like I am on holiday every day. This summer has been exceptional and I have taken every opportunity to sit on the beach during my lunch hours.

■ WHAT would you do if you won the Lottery?

It depends how much but I think I'd buy myself a nice house and then take all my friends on the holiday of a lifetime! I love teeth so much I think I'd even carry on working.

■ WHICH three guests would you invite to your dream dinner party?

Jimmy Carr because I think he's hilarious and could entertain us all, Kylie Minogue because I think she's fabulous I've been a fan since I was little, and David Beckham just to see what all the fuss is about!

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Residents ask for a parking scheme

RESIDENTS in Dorchester's Cromwell Road area are asking for a parking scheme.

Town centre workers and train station users park their cars daily in the area – some leaving them for two weeks at a time.

Now residents have had enough and are asking for action to help them at least stand a chance of parking outside their own homes.

Town councillors heard at a planning committee that

the area was considered 'next in line' for residents parking in September 2013 but at the time it was thought that better signs to car parks might solve the issue.

Problems for residents have been made worse recently by a gas main replacement which has led to additional traffic headaches.

Other concerns include lorries trying to unload outside the Londis store mid-way down Monmouth Road and people parking on double yellow lines close to

junctions, which stops cars using the gaps to pass each other.

"We all fully support the shop and commuter's rights' to use the station but either there is not enough parking for local people or they are not using it, instead parking their cars on Monmouth Road.

Residents' parking and an allotted area for Londis customers would, in my opinion, alleviate some of the problem," said one resident in a letter to the council.

Plans for new cycle route

A NEW cycle route could be created between Dorchester's Castle Park and Manor Park after Druid's Walk was closed to cyclists.

Dorset County Council has told town councillors that it is now considering an alternative route through Minerva Close.

The move comes after complaints that the official diversion for cyclists to avoid Druid's Walk would add 5-10 minutes to the journey time between the two estates, separated by Weymouth Avenue.

The route is popular with parents and children making their way to and from schools on Manor Park and school in the western area of the town – including the town's only senior school, Thomas Hardy.

The ban on cycling in Druid's Walk was imposed after residents and pedestrians who use the route complained about the danger from cyclists. Many of the homes in the Walk are occupied by older people.

Talks will now be held with residents in the area and the Dorset Cyclists Network which originally raised the issue. A resolution is not expected until the autumn.



■ DRUID'S WALK – now the subject of a cycling ban.

District councillors may be reduced to six

THE number of West Dorset District councillors could be cut by six - according to recommendations published by the Boundary Commission.

It recommends that West Dorset should be represented by 42 councillors in the future in ten single-member wards, ten two-member wards and four three-member wards.

Max Caller, chairman of the commission, said: "We are extremely grateful to the people of West Dorset who took the time and effort to send us their views. The commission considered every piece of evidence it received before finalising these recommendations.

"Across the district, we have sought to balance the views expressed to us by local people with the criteria we must apply when we are deciding on new electoral arrangements. As such, we believe these recommendations deliver electoral equality for voters as well as reflecting the identities of communities across the district."

The commission now propose that the parishes of Chetnole and Stockwood should be part of the Yetminster and Cam Vale ward and not the Frome Valley ward as previously proposed.

In Dorchester minor changes will be made to ward boundaries to provide stronger and more identifiable areas.

A draft order, which will need to be approved by Parliament, provides for the new electoral arrangements to come into force at the council elections in 2015.



■ DORCHESTER Arts Centre Artistic Director, Mark Tattersall, and centre volunteers and staff with one of the acoustic clouds.

Sound in the clouds

AN eco-friendly solution is being tried to improve the acoustics at Dorchester Arts Centre.

The building's smaller hall will be fitted with 'acoustic clouds', made from wool and other materials, hung from the ceiling.

Artistic director, Mark Tattersall says, "The smaller of our two halls is a great space but the acoustics have always been a problem. These eco-friendly acoustic clouds will make such a difference, not only for Dorchester Arts events and smaller performances, but also for other groups who want to hire the hall. We recently had to turn down a booking from a stroke rehabilitation group because they would have had trouble hearing each other in the room."

In order to fill the studio space effectively Dorchester Arts is looking to raise enough funds to buy 11 or more acoustic clouds.

West Dorset County Council has granted £700

towards the appeal and Dorchester Youth Theatre and Sculpture by the Lakes have already come forward to sponsor two clouds.

Dorchester Arts inviting more individuals, local companies and community groups to donate.

Sponsors can either pay for a whole cloud or local groups or individuals can join forces to pay for one or more together.

All sponsors names will be embroidered directly onto the clouds as a mark of thanks from all at Dorchester Arts.

Gypsy jazz in the street

GYPSY Jazz comes to Dorchester's South Street this Saturday, August 16th, as part of the Saturday Live series.

The music starts at 2pm with the band, Petites Annonces, outside Barclays in South Street.

On August 23rd it will be the turn of the Amy Mayes band.

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■ GETTING TO GRIPS WITH A RIFLE: At the First World War exhibition at Dorchester Corn Exchange



■ GERMAN prisoners of war in Dorchester during the First World War. Many visitors were surprised to learn about the camp



■ DORSET Yeomanry 1914 - photos courtesy of the Keep Military Museum

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Stepping back in time to remember World War One

by Trevor Bevins

VISITORS to Dorchester Corn Exchange stepped back in time on Friday for a day-long event to mark the 100th anniversary of the start of the First World War.

Displays with old photos and information about the part the county played were popular – with many visitors surprised to discover that the county town once had a prisoner of war camp which, at its peak in March 1919, was occupied by more than 4,400 Germans.

Many of those who willingly signed up carried out their initial training at the Barracks, behind what is now the Keep Military Museum, but the exhibition also looked at the role of Quakers and other whose principles did not allow them to fight, but often found themselves in more danger working as front-line medics.

In all over 4,500 from Dorset lost their lives in the war with others returning badly injured, or affected in other ways.

The free event was organised by a consortium of partners including Dorchester Town Council, Dorset Youth Association, Dorset County Museum, The Keep Military Museum, a local historian and Dorchester Rotary Club. Any money raised will go to The Rifles "Care for Casualties" appeal.

The Mayor, Peter Mann, opened the event followed by the Dorset Youth Association officially launching their 'Walking in their Shoes' First World War Interactive History trail funded by a grant of £28,200 from the Heritage Lottery Fund, using a mobile phone app.

One of the town council organisers, Cllr Molly Rennie, said: "The important role that Dorchester played in the war isn't realised. Soldiers had a huge sense of pride in going..."

"Youngsters who face conflict now have had preparation including learning more about the history of the country but with World War One they only had basic training."

Amongst those to come along to the event was Thelma Wills who brought along the medals won by her father, Bertie House, who served as a stoker in the Royal Navy, including a spell on HMS Invincible.

"Luckily he came back unharmed but he never really said much about what he did," said Mrs Wills.

Talks throughout the day by local historian Brian Bates and curator at the Keep Military Museum, Chris Copson, provided much of the 'back story' about Dorchester's role in the war and that of the Dorset soldiers.

"It was one of the most important events in history," said Mr Copson.

"The Dorset regiment made a massive contribution to World War One and the danger that they experienced can be forgotten or misunderstood."

"If what we are doing gives people a more accurate idea of what the war was like, that's very important," says Chris.

Brian Bates, local historian, who spoke several times during the day said he was delighted by the number of people who came along to find out more: "There is a real interest and people are keen to find out what it was like for family members at the time."

During the day visitors were able to dress up in Tommy Uniform, listen to a performance of World War One songs by local performer Jane McKell and try some rationed WW1 stew and cake.

Mrs Pat Bailey was in charge of the stew, made from modern ingredients and to a better quality than the soldiers would have had.

"Of course they mostly ate it cold. By the time it got from the kitchen to the trenches it wouldn't have been very nice, but it was often all they had," she said.

Amongst those to try it on the day were Jack Welsh and Douglas Barrett, both who had dressed in First World War uniforms.

"It's very nice," said Jack, politely when asked, "but I'm eating in in the warmth of the Corn Exchange. I don't imagine it



TRENCH STEW: Pat Bailey stirs up the pot with helpers Josh Seward, left, historian Brian Bates and Frances Anderson

would have been so good on the front line."

Other attractions including a craft corner for youngsters, a performance by the Dumovaria Silver Band and a sing-a-long of wartime songs led by local actress and performer Jane McKell who came dressed in a nurse's uniform.



THELMA Wills with her father's war medals, and friend Olive Brown

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Culture from around the world comes to town



■ OVER HE GOES! Martial arts were among the demonstrations



■ ENERGETIC Bollywood style dancing held the attention of the crowds



By Trevor Bevins

DORCHESTER has enjoyed its most popular One World event yet – with a new venue and the sun shining.

The day-long festival, to celebrate diversity and multi-culturalism attracted big crowds to the Borough Gardens on Saturday.

It featured food, music and arts and crafts from across the globe – bringing some sounds and activities to the county town which are seldom seen or heard... and organisers declared it all a massive success.

Previous events have suffered a run of bad luck with the weather but Saturday brought bright sun-

shine and only gentle winds. In the past tents and stalls have been blown away on the day with few turning up.

The event featured Kulu - World Fusion Music; a Chinese Music Ensemble with Performers: Ping Hua (Pipa - A Four-Stringed Lute), Jess Ren (Erhu - A Chinese Two-Stringed Fiddle),

Lydia Liu (Ruan - A Four-Stringed Lute) and Yi Lee (Percussion).

Also appearing on one of the two music stages were Indian Classical Music - with Ricky Romain (Sitar) and Jon Leadbeater (tabla); Scottish Country Dancing; Afro Tallawah - African Caribbean Cuban fusion of reggae, African and salsa with games and activities throughout the day for young and old.

Global food also featured – from Pizza and Tapas to dishes from the Indian and Bangladeshi cultures.

The event originally started in 2009 by local resident Mr Miah and friends from the Dorchester Speak Easy Group who wanted to create a greater understanding of different cultures in Dorset.

This year's event was supported by Dorchester Town Council, Dorset Race Equality Council, West Dorset District Council, HealthWatch Dorset, Magna Housing, Dorset HealthCare NHS, Unite the Union & Bournemouth TUC with helpers from the Volunteer Centre Dorset, Dorchester Local Area Partnership, Dorset Community Action, T&T Sounds, Camelot Acoustic Music, Somerset Mini Marquees.



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Care home commemorates WWI

STAFF and residents at Maiden Castle House care home in Dorchester invited their friends, families and the local community to join them in commemorating the centenary of the First World War.

Held on the 100th anniversary of the date that war was declared, the event remembered all those men and women who bravely gave their lives during the conflict.

At 11am, local musician, Elizabeth Carter, performed the "Last Post" bugle call and staff at the Care South home read a selection of poetry by war poets from the First World War.

The morning gave residents and their families a chance to talk about their memories of people they knew who fought in the First World War and to discuss what the commemoration events being held across the UK meant to them.

Throughout the day, the home's lounge hosted a display of military memorabilia for visitors to browse, and

a representative from Tiger Collectibles was on hand to talk people through the items on offer.

At 2pm, a local singer performed a selection of well-known songs from both World Wars, and visitors were invited to browse an arts and crafts stall in reception.

Staff also held a raffle, with all proceeds raised going to the Residents' Amenity Fund.

Home Manager at Care South's Maiden Castle House, Dawn Palmer, said: "We had a lovely day at the home, remembering the First World War and paying tribute to the relatives and friends of residents who fought in the war. It was an important day for many of our residents, and for staff at Maiden Castle House who worked hard to ensure the day was a special one."

"All proceeds raised during the day will go towards the Residents' Amenity Fund, which helps us to plan a stimulating activities programme, ensuring our residents enjoy the best experiences."



■ STAFF, residents, friends and family mark the 100th anniversary of the start of WWI at Maiden Castle House

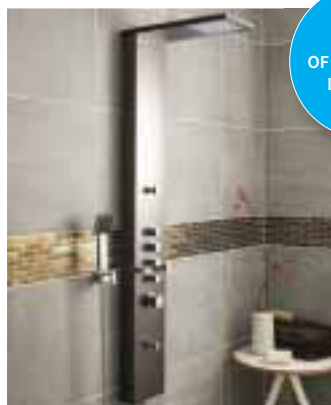
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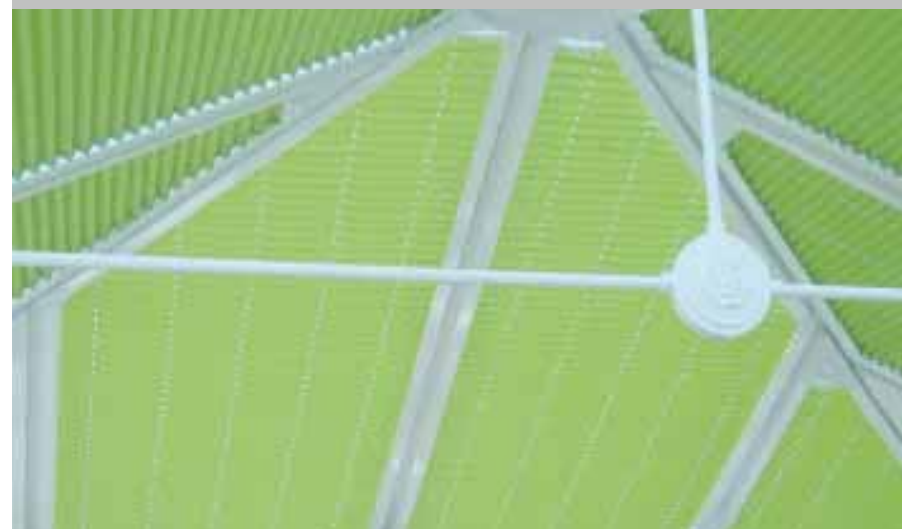
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■ **IMAGES** from the Independent Photographers exhibition which opens in Dorchester next week



Exhibition explores new and old photography techniques

DORSET Independent Photographers are combining the best in traditional darkroom skills with the latest in digital technology for their annual exhibition.

The show opens in Dorchester's Borough Gardens House for a week from this Monday, August 18th.

This year's show includes images from as far afield as Greece and as close to home as a local Dorset garden, taken on everything from a plate camera to a smart phone.

Sponsored by Nantes Solicitors the exhibition features original prints by eight members of the group who will be showing subjects ranging from landscape and abstract to still life and documentary, both in colour and monochrome. The group has been staging exhibitions and meeting informally to discuss work since the 1980s.

Dorchester-based Tim Edwards is a founder member of the group. For more than 25 years he used his keen eye for detail and passion for fine black and white prints to produce images from large format cameras.

When health problems forced him to give up darkroom work, he brought the same passion to his digital colour work, responding to the rich colours and patterns of decaying urban structures to produce his trademark abstract photographs.

With his monochrome landscapes produced in the darkroom using negatives

from medium and large format cameras, Malcolm Macnaughtan's focus remains on traditional photographic craft, his recent decision to work part-time giving him more freedom to explore picture possibilities close to his Dorchester home.

In contrast, Barbara Jenkins is exploring the creative possibilities of her smart phone to pursue her love of the landscape and watery imagery.

Margaret Homan-Berry, who was awarded an ARPS in 2012 for her flower images, is this year showing a selection of photographs from her long-term project to chart the transformation of Dorchester's Eldridge Pope Brewery site and a selection of flower images.

Andy White explores the beautiful old houses of Halki, a Greek island close to Rhodes where in the early part of the last century many of the occupants were forced to leave, due to hardship, and made new lives in Australia and USA.

Their houses were locked when they departed with the hope that one day they would return. Many descendants have returned and restored their houses but many of the neo classical dwellings still stand in varying degrees of dilapidation.

Judith Jones is a fine art photographer whose interests include social and philosophical studies of urban life. These are expressed within her street photography and urban projects. Within the genre of "concrete photography" Judith also enjoys producing abstract images. This camera-

less technique reveals ambiguous images with multiple interpretations.

Judith has exhibited widely and during 2014 her work has been exhibited in group shows internationally. She also had work accepted in this year's Royal Academy Summer Exhibition in London.

John Tilsley continues to divide his time between producing both monochrome and colour digital images with extended projects on the New Forest Pony Sales and Swanage Railway, along with landscapes taken this year in Finland and Spain.

The exhibition is open from Monday, August 18th until Monday, August 25th from 10am to 5pm.



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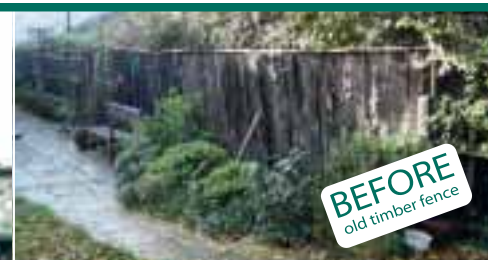
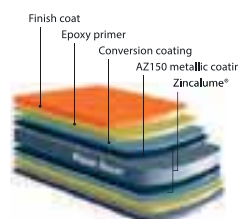
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Landscape history course

A LANDSCAPE History day course with Oliver Rackham is being held at Cerne Abbas on Sunday, August 24th.

It will look at the landscape history of the Cerne Valley, exploring the former deer park belonging to the then powerful Cerne Abbey, and the enclosures, hedgelines and trees in the area around the Cerne Giant.

Dr Oliver Rackham is one of the UK's leading authority on ancient woodlands, veteran trees and the history of the countryside and the day will cover a wide range of topics including veteran trees, ancient hedges, woodbanks, common land, woodland ecology, building materials, geology and fungi.

The fee for the day is £50 and includes morning and afternoon refreshments.

Players seek actresses

TWO ladies aged 18-40 are required to play the parts of Polly and Nancy in The Piddle Valley Players' next production of 'Divorce Me Darling.'

Rehearsals start on September 4th and take place on Thursday evenings and some Sundays with show weeks from February 15th to 21st.

Prospective actresses should contact Rachel Olley on 01300 348758 or 07810406470.

Taste of France at Square

FRENCH cooking is coming to Dorchester's Brewery Square with the opening of Côte Brasserie.

A spokesman for the company said they were delighted to sign up to the Brewery Square scheme and say the business will be open daily from breakfast to dinner.

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Raptors get new wrapping



■ DORCHESTER Round Table has presented a cheque for £550 to Dorset's newest American Football team, the Jurassic Coast Raptors.

The money has enabled the Raptors to purchase new game shirts which they are looking forward to pulling on over their pads as they pursue entry to the UK's National American Football league.

The team train at Dorchester Rugby Club on Wednesday evenings and are still looking for players, coaches and backroom staff.

For more information visit the Jurassic Coast Raptors Facebook page or email raptorsfootball@outlook.com.

Pictured is Lee Turner from Dorchester Round Table presents a cheque for £550 to Billy Heinrich, head coach of American Football team, The Jurassic Coast Raptors.

Volunteer for Age UK

AGE UK Dorchester is appealing for volunteers to join its Advocacy team to provide information and advice to older people.

Advocacy is identifying with and representing a person's views and concerns, and respects people's rights to control their own lives and make their own choices.

Its emphasis is on empowering people; not solving their problems for them. This may include enabling individuals to write letters or make phone calls and/or representing their wishes or negotiating with an outside agency.

Volunteers will need to have basic computer skills.

For more information contact Peter Lindsley on 01305 269444, peter@ageukdorchester.org.uk.

Mother's Union party

DORCHESTER Mothers' Union members have been celebrating the movement's founder.

They got together at a private home in Mellstock Avenue for afternoon tea and a bring and buy sale to celebrate Mary Sumner Day, named after the organisation's founder.

The group's next meeting will be on September 2nd at St Peter's Church when The Reverend Anita Thorne will be speaking and will lead communion.

Community market

A COMMUNITY market is being held at Broadmayne this Friday, August 15th from 2pm-3.30pm.

It takes place in St Martin's Community Hall with stalls for cakes, preserves, a raffle, craft, plants and a range of items for the garden.

There will also be Bric-a-brac, books, jigsaws, cards, local pork, sausages and eggs.

Tea or coffee will be available. All proceeds to St Martin's Community Hall extension.

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Wessex railway walks come to Dorchester

The Wessex Line rail walk comes to the Dorchester area this weekend.

Taking place on Saturday, August 16th, the 11 to 12 mile medium-paced linear walk will start from Maiden Newton with the group making their way to Dorchester, taking in the Chalk Valleys, Cruxton, Compton Bottom and Muckleford.

Walkers should meet at Maiden Newton station at 10.30am, returning to the station to catch return trains from 5.30pm onwards.

The following weekend, Saturday, August 23rd there will be an eight to nine mile medium-paced fairly flat circular walk from Bradford on Avon to South Wraxall and Monkton Farleigh.

Walkers should catch the Bristol 09.49am to arrive at 10.22am or the 8.46am from Weymouth arriving at 10.50am.

On Wednesday, August 27th there will be a seven-mile medium-paced linear walk from Yeovil Pen Mill to Stoke Sub Hamdon using the 8.53am from Weymouth.

The final walk of the month takes place on Sunday 31st with a nine-mile circular walk from Upwey, taking in the South Dorset Ridgeway, Friar Waddon and Broadwey.

Trains being used are the 09.25am from Bristol, arriving at Upwey at 11.49am, or the 11.05am from Weymouth.

There will be five walks in September with full details of all of the walks in the series available at - www.wessexrailwaywalks.org.uk.

Soup lunch at church hall

A SOUP lunch is being held in Broadmayne this Thursday, August 14th, from 12.30pm in St Martin's church hall.

Guests will be offered home-made soup and a roll, or bread, followed by tea or coffee with a biscuit at a cost of £2.50.



Trip back in time for tea

■ **ORGANISER Dorothy Maggs presents a bouquet to pianist Evelyn Kingman**

ST George's Hall, Dorchester, was packed out for a Victorian Cream tea – complete with piano music and “Nippies” on Thursday (August 7th).

The annual event raises money for The Children's Society.

Organiser Dorothy Maggs said she was delighted with the turn-out and thanked volunteers who took the time and effort to dress up in “Nippie” waitress uniforms, first seen in the Lyons tea shops in the 1920s, and to those who produced home-made scones.

She also thanked pianist Evelyn Kingman and presented her with a bouquet of

flowers at the end of the afternoon.

The event was attended by Dorchester Mayor, Councillor Peter Mann and Mayoress Shirley Mann who spent their time there chatting with guests.

Mrs Maggs told those attending the event that they would be surprised how many children, even in Dorchester, were living difficult lives and were in need of support.

The Dorchester committee of the Children's Society would welcome additional fundraisers and supporters.

Further information can be obtained by calling (01305) 262436.



■ **VOLUNTEER 'nippies' ready to serve. Organiser Dorothy Maggs is on the far left**



■ **MAYOR and Mayoress Peter and Sheila Mann chatting to guests at the Children's Society event**

Pirate and mermaid fun at garden centre

TREASURE hunts, arts and crafts and stories aboard a pirate ship are just some of the activities that will be on offer at The Gardens Group's “Pirates and Mermaids Summer Party”, taking place this Friday, August 15th from 2:30pm–4pm at Poundbury Gardens in Dorchester.

From bandanas and eye patches, to se-

quin fins and shells, fancy dress is encouraged and gardeners of all ages are welcome to attend this free family event.

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County recognised for work in combating malnutrition

DORSET has been recognised for the pioneering work between health and social care to combat malnutrition.

Sue Hawkins, care catering services manager at Dorset County Council was named as one of the top 50 people by the Local Government Chronicle (LGC) and Health Service Journal (HSJ) for her work to combat malnutrition.

The Care Integration 50 Award was set up to celebrate the 50 most influential people involved in the integration of health and social care services and identify the people who are doing the most to overcome historical organisational barriers to create a new care system.

A panel of judges assessed candidates on a number of criteria. A key factor was how innovative their approach to health and social care integration had been, and if the work had improved services for people who rely on them.

The winners were also judged on the effectiveness of their leadership and whether their work had achieved a positive impact on services in their local economy.

Sue Hawkins was praised for her commitment to create strong links between the NHS, Public Health and the wider community to introduce the malnutrition universal screening tool into community settings.

The screening tool allows either health or social care staff to take action if a person is malnourished.

Catherine Driscoll, director for adult and community services at Dorset County Council, said: "Malnutrition in older people is a much more common problem than many realise, and with our aging population, will only continue unless we take action."

"Nutrition is important at all stages in life and it is everybody's responsibility, from neighbours, councils



■ **SUE Hawkins – nominated for a national award for her work with older people and malnutrition**

and the NHS, to recognise the problem and look at simple steps that can help.

"We have been working hard in Dorset to promote nutritional care, and the endorsement from the LGC and HSJ for our work is an honour. We hope this means that more people will see and benefit from the work we have done."



■ **CELIA Canter has a mole checked by Dr Suzanne Lane**

Spreading the sun safety message

GET tanned but stay safe while you are doing it.

That was the message from the NHS Clinical Commissioning Group when they ran a sun awareness stall on Weymouth Esplanade by the Jubilee Clock.

It was the third consecutive year that the CCG had run a stall and organiser Celia Canter said: "The response has been amazing and we have seen nearly 100 people today."

"They were particularly interested in getting their moles checked to make sure they were not malignant."

"We also talked to them about putting on sun cream, staying out of the midday sun and wearing a hat."

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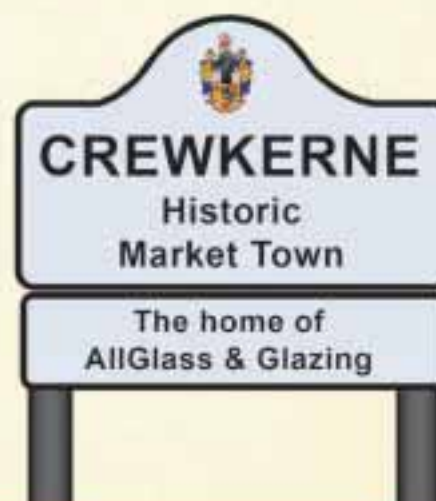
"The message we gave out was a positive one, to encourage people to be careful but to still have fun."

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Volunteers help out at festival

AMONG the hundreds of local people at this year's Camp Bestival musical festival at Lulworth Cove, was a team from the Dorchester-based Dorset Volunteer Centre.

They, and other local charities, including the Dorset Wildlife Trust, used the event to showcase the work that they do.

"We do get a lot of interest, it's perhaps not surprising that a lot of Dorset people come to the festival," said centre manager Marie Waterman (pictured centre with other volunteers), "but it's also something of an incentive to our volunteers who work so hard during the year. They come along and put in some time on our stand

and can then enjoy some of the festival atmosphere."

The Dorset event has consistently been voted the best for families with two fields of entertainment for youngsters and a separate 'mini festival' area for teens.

Attractions for younger people this year included Mr Tumble, Horrible Histories, a circus parade and science demonstrations – not to mention tents for art and crafts and fairground attractions.

Musical performances included James and Johnny Marr on Friday, De La Soul, Laura Mvula and Sophie Ellis-Bextor on Saturday and Basement Jaxx and Sinead O'Connor on Sunday.



Frozen fans raise £450

ODEON manager Alan Escott and Donna Sibley from Julia's House

A CHARITY screening of children's movie Frozen at the Odeon cinema, Dorchester was a sell-out success.

The Disney film event raised money for Julia's House, Dorset's only hospice dedicated to children with life-limiting conditions.

Now organisers are planning a second screening of the film in the autumn.

With the support of children's party planners Fairytale Parties, which brought the film's stars Elsa and Anna to the event to meet the audience, and Toys R Us and Boo's toy shop, which donated Frozen prizes for a raffle, the whole event raised £475.54 for Julia's House.

Alan Escott, general manager at the Odeon Dorchester, said: "We are very proud that our partnership with Julia's House is proving so ben-

eficial for the charity and we'd like to thank our cinema-goers for supporting Friday's event.

He added: "Due to the phenomenal response the charity screening of Frozen received, we are delighted to be hosting a second screening in aid of Julia's House in the autumn."

Donna Sibley of Julia's House, said: "We were thrilled with the response and with the amount of money raised. We'd like to thank everyone, including our Dorchester Friends Group for making this happen. We already have a waiting list for the next screening, so we are poised to do it all over again!"

Donna added: "It is lovely to think that in addition to being a great family event, it was also helping families all over Dorset that need the support of Julia's House."

Up to £10m government funds to help with storm and road damage

TRIBUTES have been paid to Weymouth, Portland and West Dorset's success in dealing with last winter's monster storms.

Efforts to claw back the cost of repairing the damage through Government grants and other measures could see more than £2 million reclaimed while £12 million worth of road

repairs could see Dorset County Council reclaim up to £8 million.

Environment spokesman Councillor Ian Roebuck told a meeting of Weymouth and Portland management committee that there had been "extremely successful lobbying of Government" to try and recoup the cost of the storms.

Councillor Mike Goodman paid tribute to the council's team of officers and particularly to South Dorset MP Richard Drax and West Dorset MP Oliver Letwin for their tremendous support.

The meeting was given a storm impact report by Grant Armfield highlighting Weymouth and Portland's efforts with partner

council West Dorset and various contractors to tackle the severe and prolonged period of storms.

Mr Armfield said "the plan worked and I think we should stick to that", adding that extreme weather and events were likely to be more frequent.

Environment director David Evans said it was "a

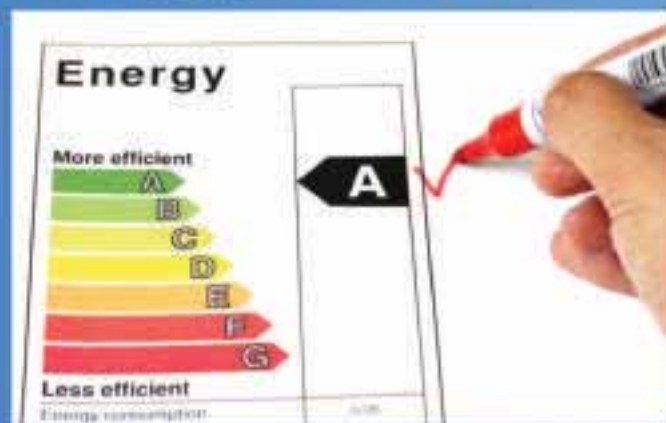
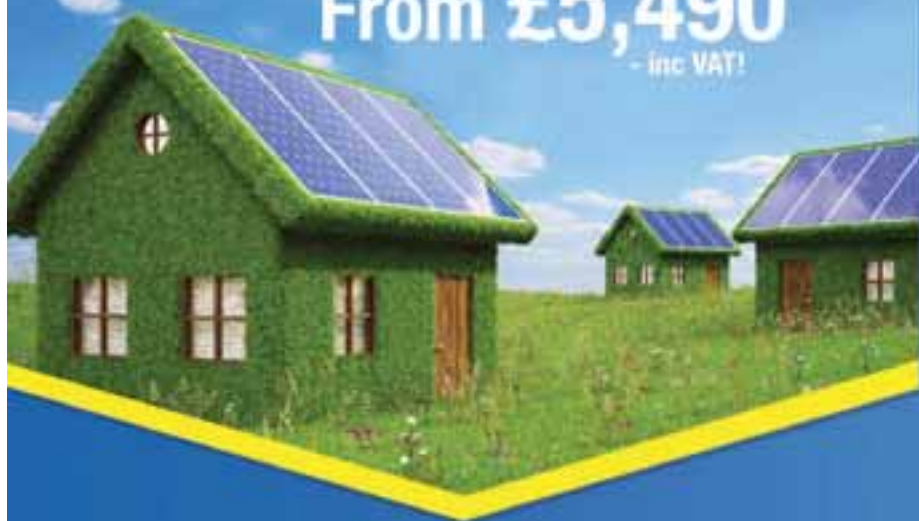
very good example of our partnership with West Dorset" with engineers and emergency planning teams coming to the fore and a good relationship with the Environment Agency.

Chairman Councillor Mike Byatt said the operation to deal with the storms and their aftermath was "a big success story".

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Heart-warming fundraiser for fund

■ **LOCAL musicians gave up their time to help raise funds for the Help a Friend charity in the Borough Gardens, Dorchester, at the weekend**

A FREE music event in the Borough Gardens, Dorchester attracted hundreds of people.

The Dorchester-based Steve Charles Help a Friend Fund staged its annual Warm Festival with local mu-

sicians and bands giving up their time to help raise money for the charity.

The group was set up in the name of the late Steve Charles, a local musician, and helps people in financial dif-

ficulties because of illness. The bandstand stage was named the Julian Slade Stage at the event – in memory of former the Dorchester Round Tabler whose family support the work of the charity.



■ **THE Julian Slade stage – named after a former Dorchester Round Tabler whose family, including wife Katie (centre left) support the Steve Charles Help a Friend charity**

Cribbage players beat 'best in the UK'

A TEAM of Dorchester Kings Cribbage players have beaten some of the best players in the UK in a competition at the town's library.

The local group was started for the over 50s as part of the Phoenix Legacy project three years ago with Paul Turner and his daughter, Corrina, running local courses at Age UK and U3A.

These groups are now led by Libby Wood with another group meeting at the Dorchester Bowls Centre with Anne Denholm.

"To bring a boost to the Dorchester player's game we agreed to put together a Kings Cribbage tournament against some of the finest KC players in the UK. The event was held at the new Dorchester Library," said Mr Turner.

"The 'Best in the UK' were Kings

Cribbage players that compete annually at Mind Sport Olympiad in London, including one of the chief MSO organisers Tony Corfe and his wife Barbara."

Mr Turner said the Dorchester players handled the pressure well, battling to win 13/11 on the day, although Colin Sharpe of 'the Best in the UK' won the event trophy for achieving the highest score over three games with 823 points.

"What was quite remarkable, one of the Dorchester players, only a matter of weeks after major heart surgery, won all his games outright, he also achieved the fourth highest score in the competition - his wife also won all of her games (the only two players to do so) and succeeded in coming fifth in the tournament."



■ **DORCHESTER Kings Cribbage players on their way to victory again 'The Best in the UK' team**

Town gears up for military festival

A BIG line-up is promised for the Dorchester Military Festival this weekend.

The event, in the Borough Gardens on August 16th, will raise funds for injured soldiers.

It has receiving backing from the Duchy of Cornwall, The Ministry of Defence and the Piddle Brewery.

Profits will go to The Rifles 'Care for Casualties' charity.

Throughout the day there will displays and demonstrations from various re-enactor groups ranging from Vikings, to Victorian ar-

tillery and scenes from the First and Second World War.

Among those booked to take part will be the local Territorial Army and cadet units, the Nothe Fort Artillery volunteers, Trafalgar Drummer (Paul Early), Wimborne Militia and the Crabchurch Conspiracy.

Visitors will also be able to see World War One field artillery, WWII radios and stands from a range of military organisations, including the Rifles, the Royal Naval and Air Forces Associations, SSAFA, and the RMP association as well as the Royal British Le-

gion, The Keep Military Museum and the Police. The event will also include attractions for children including a bouncy castle and other inflatables and a climbing wall with a hog roast and bar available for adults.

There will also be a display of static military vehicles.

Former infantryman Ted Caine, from Dorchester, has put the event together over the past two years and says he has been delighted by the level of support from the town.

The event will be opened at 10am by Dorchester Mayor, Peter Mann.

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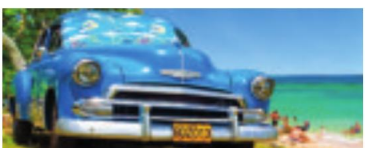
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The motocross display team Bold Dogs Ling are back! Everyone that saw them last year was totally blown away and terrified at the way they revved, jumped and flipped their way through the air. This year they appeared on Britain's got Talent and won the judges over too, flying through to the next stage!! Although they are not going to get to perform in front of the Queen at the London Palladium... one thing is certain they will once again be sailing over their ramp one after another, doing an assortment of amazing jumps, flips and handstands at this year's show.

Along with other favourites - the heavy horse display, the magnificent parade of prize animals, hounds and beagles, show jumping and lots more.

In the popular country side area visitors will be able to enjoy a cross-section of country sports and learn more about country crafts:

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Melplash Agricultural Show competition schedules available!

AS ALWAYS there is going to be some excellent competition classes at this year's Melplash Agricultural Show with lots of prizes and magnificent cups to be won. Throughout the year the Chairmen of the various sections and their committees (all volunteers) have been working hard to put together a range of competitions to suit all interests and all ages including a large children's section.

There are hundreds of classes and competitions covering cattle, sheep, goats, heavy horses, show jumping, horse showing, farm produce, eggs, bees, rural craft, handicrafts, horticulture, floral art, cookery, photography, art and wood craft. As well as the Best Bridport Banger competition being judged by

Richard Balson of R J Balson & Sons Butchers, and the special cookery competitions sponsored and judged by local businesses: Best Seafood Skewer to be sponsored and judged by the Riverside Restaurant, West Bay; Best Apple Cake to be sponsored and judged by Leakers Bakery; Best Vegetable Curry to be sponsored and judged by Taj Mahal, Bridport.

There are some fun ones too, for egg-sample in the Farm Produce egg category: Best photograph featuring poultry with the most amusing caption.. should be egg-citing!

The Competition Schedules can be obtained from the Melplash Show Office, 23 South Street, DT6 3NT or can be viewed online at www.melplashshow.co.uk

Entries to all competitions can be made online too.



New Park & Ride to ease traffic problems at Melplash Show

THE Melplash Agricultural Society is introducing a new Park & Ride to ease traffic problems coming and going from this year's Melplash Show. Those driving to the Show will be able to park off Burton Road (Marsh Barn) DT6 4PS and take the FREE bus to the showground. The service starts at 8:30 with a bus running every ½ an hour throughout the day.

'The Society is very aware of the traffic congestion getting in to and out of the Showground and we have taken two remedial measures this year to alleviate the problem. We have moved the Members' car park to the West Bay Road and introduced a Park & ride on the Burton Road. I do hope that many of you coming to the Show will use the latter. It will be clearly signed and will make leaving the Showground that much less stressful and hopefully ensure you remember what a great day you had and not the traffic!' Said Society Chairman Brigadier John Dean.

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LYME REGIS TO MELPLASH SHOW (to blue gate on the West Bay Road)

For One Day Only 21st August 2014

Lyme Regis	07:45	08:30	09:15	10:00	10:45	11:30	12:15				14:55	15:40	16:15	17:00	17:35
Charmouth	07:53	08:38	09:23	10:08	10:53	11:38	12:23				15:03	15:48	16:23	17:08	17:43
Morcombelake	08:03	08:48	09:33	10:18	11:03	11:48	12:33				15:13	15:58	16:33	17:18	17:53
Chideock	08:08	08:53	09:38	10:23	11:08	11:53	12:38				15:18	16:03	16:38	17:23	17:58
Show Site (arr)	08:28	09:13	09:58	10:43	11:28	12:13	12:58				15:32	16:17	16:52	17:37	18:12
Show Site (dep)	08:30	09:15	10:00	10:45	11:30					14:15	15:00	15:35	16:20	16:55	17:40
Chideock	08:45	09:30	10:15	11:00	11:45					14:30	15:15	15:50	16:35	17:10	17:55
Morcombelake	08:52	09:37	10:22	11:07	11:52					14:37	15:22	15:57	16:42	17:17	18:02
Charmouth	09:00	09:45	10:30	11:15	12:00					14:45	15:30	16:05	16:50	17:25	18:10
Lyme Regis	09:08	09:53	10:38	11:23	12:08					14:50	15:35	16:10	16:55	17:30	18:15

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BRIDPORT TO MELPLASH SHOW (to blue gate on the West Bay Road)

For One Day Only 21st August 2014

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Bridport Nationwide	08:32	09:02	09:32	10:02	10:32	11:02	11:32	12:02	13:02	14:02	15:02	15:32	16:02	16:32	17:02	17:32	18:02	18:32
South Street (opp Brewery)	08:35	09:05	09:35	10:05	10:35	11:05	11:35	12:05	13:05	14:05	15:05	15:35	16:05	16:35	17:05	17:35	18:05	18:35
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South Street (opp Brewery)	08:50	09:20	09:50	10:20	10:50	11:20	11:50	12:20	13:20	14:20	15:20	15:50	16:20	16:50	17:20	17:50	18:20	18:50
Bridport (Frosts)	08:53	09:23	09:53	10:23	10:53	11:23	11:53	12:23	13:23	14:23	15:23	15:53	16:23	16:53	17:23	17:53	18:23	18:53
Bridport Coach Station	08:55	09:25	09:55	10:25	10:55	11:25	11:55	12:25	13:25	14:25	15:25	15:55	16:25	16:55	17:25	17:55	18:25	18:55

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Hawkchurch Fete

SATURDAY 16TH AUGUST – BANK HOLIDAY MONDAY 25TH AUGUST

Join in all the fun for a great family bank holiday weekend in Hawchurch

AS BANK Holiday Monday draws closer the final preparations are being made to the Annual Hawchurch Village Fete Weekend.

The highlight of the village calendar, this year's fete promises to be a great day out for all the family.

With a jam packed programme of events taking place not only on fete day itself, but throughout the week, you are guaranteed to have a great bank holiday in Hawchurch.

The fete week kicks off on Saturday, August 16th will see the return of the Teddy Bears Picnic and Parachute Jump. This event made its debut six years ago and is as popular as ever. The teddy bears picnic will see a number of fun activities for the children. The main event of the afternoon of course will be the teddy bear parachute jump from St John the Baptist Church Tower. Children under 16 are invited to make a parachute for their teddy bears and prizes will be

awarded for best decorated parachute. (Please note that parachutes not made to the organiser's instructions will not be eligible to enter. For parachute design instructions contact Meeri Wallace 01297 678538).

The event starts at 4pm, please arrive by 4.30pm if you are entering the competition. Teddies will parachute off the church tower at 5pm

On Sunday, August 17th is the car treasure hunt, treasure seekers are asked to leave from the village hall car park between 1.30 – 2.00pm. On their return, from 4.00pm onwards, there will be cream teas available at the Village Hall

On Monday August 18th come along to the village hall and enjoy a screening of the fantastic kids movie Shrek. Kids can dress up as their favourite fairytale character. Refreshments will be available and the film starts at 6.30pm at the Village Hall

Brush up on your general knowledge for a BBQ & Quiz night at the Village Hall on Tuesday 19th. The BBQ starts at 6.30pm followed by the quiz starting at 8pm all at the Village Hall. Entry Fee £6 (includes BBQ & Quiz) or for just Quiz entry fee £1. Entry to BBQ is by ticket only so please purchase in advance. BBQ includes 1 hot dog and burger per person. Bring Your Own Drink. Contact 01297 687538 for more information.

On Wednesday 20th August there will be a Short Tennis Session at The Village Hall between 10am and 1pm open to adults and children over the age of 5.

In the evening why not try your luck at Bingo, eyes down at 7.30pm in the village hall.

See if you can be the fastest to make a beetle at our family Beetle Drive on Thursday, August 21st. This starts at 6.30pm in the village hall. Great fun for all the family, £2 per adult & £1 per child with prizes for the highest adult and highest child score of the evening. Refreshments included. All proceeds will go to Hawchurch Primary School.

Fun Family Rounders match on Friday, August 22nd. Simply turn up

at 6pm and enjoy a traditional game of rounders. This will be followed by BBQ and Children's Disco in the marquee at the rear of the Old Inn, Hawchurch from 8.00pm.

A popular family event in the village for the past 19 years, the Hawchurch Companion Dog Show, will once again be taking place on Sunday, August 24th at the village playing fields. Everybody is welcome to attend with classes for pedigree and non pedigree dogs, there is something for everyone. To find out if your dog has the waggiest tail or the most appealing eyes, be there for 2pm when judging starts. For schedules of classes, contact Christine Bright (01297) 678498.

The highlight of the weekend, the annual Hawchurch village fete, will take place on bank holiday Monday, August 25th at 2.00pm.

Entertainment will be provided throughout the afternoon in the main ring with an acrobatic performance from Honiton Gymnastics Club, a display by Smale Gundogs and children's entertainment from Professor Bumble. Music will be

provided by the Nyther Nore.

As well as the main ring entertainment there will be a whole host of stalls, games and side shows including Craft marquee, bouncy castle, face painting, coconut shy, crazy golf, skittles, vintage tractors, antique fire engine and much more.

The Church Tower will also be open (weather permitting) Teas, cakes, ice creams and licensed bar will be available all afternoon as well as a BBQ.

On Thursday August 28th play a hand at our Whist Drive, entry £2.00 per person starting at 7.30pm in the village hall.

So why not go along and join in all the fun for a great family bank holiday weekend in Hawchurch.



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Carnival celebrations set to bring Bridport to life

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Huge crowds are set to cheer on hundreds of carnival performers, as the spectacular summer procession winds its way around the town once again.

Colourful floats, marching bands and community groups will take part in the parade, led by Bridport's carnival royalty – Carnival Queen 15-year-old Sophie Gibson, Princess Maddie Chant, 10, and their two attendants Daniella Scadding and Sarah Williams.

Characters from the worlds of sport, cinema and showbiz are due to take to the streets for the annual celebrations, continuing the carnival's proud tradition as one of the town calendar's must-see events.

And the music will be at full blast as an array of dancers take part in the parade.

The entertainment gets going at 10am, as members of the Wessex Military Band kick off proceedings with a performance in Bucky Doo Square.

And the party will be in full swing by 7pm, when the procession sets off from West Road before turning into South Street.

And following the main event, there will be live music in South Street and a family disco at the Conservative Club.

But celebrations do not stop there. On Sunday, thousands more visitors are expected to take part in

a glowing torchlight procession, which leaves South Street at 9pm heading for West Bay.

Once the procession reaches its seafood destination, revellers will gather round a bonfire on East Beach followed by a spectacular fireworks display at 10.30pm.

Torches will be available from the Town Hall on Sunday from 6.30pm.



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IN 2011, Bridport under 15's Football Club, run by Mark Scadding and Lee Cuff, started fundraising for a trip to Seattle on the 20th August this year to honour an invite for a friendly game from a touring team they played in April 2012.

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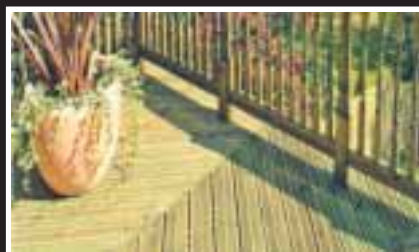
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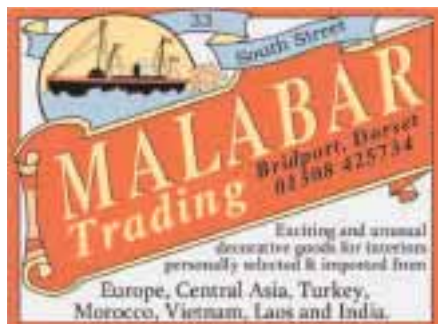
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DREADZONE'S AUTUMN TOUR COMES TO BRIDPORT

Currently in the middle of a packed summer festival schedule, Dreadzone are set to play at Bridport's Electric Palace on Friday, November 21st as part of their forthcoming autumn tour.

With performances at Glastonbury, Boomtown, Beautiful Days and many more to recount when this lively festival season ends, Dreadzone look towards this special selection of autumn shows. Celebrating their 21st year in the game, they continue to champion their seventh studio album, last year's outstanding *Escapades*.

With roots in Big Audio Dyna-

mite, Dreadzone's career includes a Creation Records release, major moves on Virgin, and acclaimed independent releases through their own label Dubwiser Records.

Core members Greg Dread, original bassmaster Leo Williams, the unmistakable MC Spee and legendary reggae vocalist Earl 16 join Chris Compton on guitar and Bazil on technology to make up the current Dreadzone live line-up.

Considering their eclectic and powerful fusion of Dub, Ska, Reggae, Techno and Folk delivered with such energy and flair, it is no

wonder they have long since secured a devoted international fan base.

They will be performing a mixture of classics from their back catalogue and the stunning new material from *Escapades* and beyond - once again reminding sell-out audiences why they really are the masters of their craft.

Get your tickets while you still can! Tickets for the performance at 7.30pm on Friday, November 21st are £15 (plus booking fee) in advance, and are available from www.seetickets.com or by calling the Electric Palace on 01308 424901.



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The trio perform at Dorchester Arts Centre on Sunday, October 5th at 8pm. Tickets are available now costing £8 or £6 for Dorchester Arts members and concessions. For more details or to book call 01305 266926 or visit www.dorchesterarts.org.uk

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WOOSEY BLUES

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Woosey's blend of acoustic blues, folk and rock conveyed with an accomplished vocal delivery has been defined as 'The Woosey Blues'.

Much praised and played by the likes of Paul Jones on Radio 2 and Tom Robinson on BBC 6 Music this is one blues gig not to be missed.

"The Best British bluesman since Rory Gallagher" bluesnews.de

Matt Woosey plays at Dorchester Arts Centre on Saturday, September 20th with doors opening 7.30pm.

Tickets are £13/£6.50* In advance: £14/£7*. On the door, Senior Citizen ticket: £11 advance/£12 door.*Under 18 or with N.U.S. Card.

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Nothe Fort's Sound and Light Spectacular

NOTHE Fort is to host a Son et Lumiere Sound and Light Spectacular on September 10th – 13th September. This will portray the maritime history of Weymouth and Portland from the Armada to the Olympics, including such events as the arrival of the plague, smugglers and wreckers, the visits by George III and the building of the Portland breakwater and Palmerston Forts. It will move on to World War I and II, the Navy Days in the 50s and 60s, the work of the Lifeboat and end

with an Olympic runner and the entire cast on stage singing Land of Hope and Glory, while the fireworks go up.

This is a community play, produced by Martine Burt with actors and singers from Weymouth Drama Club, WOW, Weymouth Junior Drama Club and Weymouth Operatic Society. Dancers from Quay Theatre Arts and Dorchester Jive Club and additional singing from the Dorset Wrecks as well of course as the Fort's own Artillery.

The open air play will be performed on the Parade Ground, with action also taking place on the Ramparts and staircase with amazing lighting effects. Add to this some poignant readings and atmospheric music and this shall be an event that is totally unique and a first for Weymouth. Organisers are receiving a huge amount of interest and expect to sell in excess of 2,000 tickets over the four night run.

Operatic Society to perform Evita

Historic show will be the first performance of the classic in the region

LYME Regis Operatic Society have pulled off a bit of a coup by being granted a licence to perform the hit musical 'Evita' from May 11th to 16th 2015. As far as the Society are aware, this will be the first performance of 'Evita' by an amateur group in the region.

After this year's wonderful success with *Mame* ~ it was proving very difficult to find a show to follow on ~ but the Society heard through the grapevine that *Evita* was about to be offered to amateur groups through NODA (the National Operatic and Dramatic Association). LROS's application for a licence met with approval and they were granted permission to perform *Evita* at the usual time in May next year.

The original stage production opened in London at the Prince Edward Theatre on June 21st 1978 with Elaine Paige in the title role and Joss Ackland as her formidable Juan Peron.

Following stints in Los Angeles and San Francisco, *Evita* premiered on Broadway at the Broadway Theatre on September 25th 1979. The production ran for

an incredible 1,567 performances, after grossing over £100 million at the box office. *Evita* won an impressive seven Tony Awards including Best Book, Best Score and Best Musical of the year. In 1981, the cast recording was awarded a Grammy Award.

For those hoping to take part in the Lyme Regis production next May, rehearsals will take place on Tuesday evenings for company and Thursday evenings for principals. Also, please note that company membership is currently £25 a year for acting members, £10 for non-acting members and £5 for juniors.

Auditions to take part in the show, either in a named role or in the chorus, will take place on Sunday, August 31st in the Church Room, Church Street in Lyme at 6.30pm.

Audition material and information can be obtained by contacting our secretary, Mrs Jean Wellings, on 01297 443382 or by email on jean.wellings@uwclub.net

Top contemporary dancers return to the Marine Theatre as The Bo Diddlers with Stump!



STUMP! is a unique and fun meeting of folk music, Morris dance, contemporary dancers and lots of laughs!

The Bo Diddlers are a Morris dance side who are taking the form into new unexplored realms. Using a blend of folk and contemporary dance, physical comedy, and live music the group creates a spectacle both mesmerising and hilarious. What first appears to be a traditional Morris dance side turns out to be something quite different...

Led by Sidmouth born Ewan

Wardrop, whose critically acclaimed one-man show *Formby* was premiered at the Marine Theatre in 2012, The Bo Diddlers are made up of some of the country's top professional dancers, who have performed with companies and artists including Matthew Bourne's New Adventures, Complicite, Lindsay Kemp and Mark Morris. This show was first developed at the Marine Theatre in 2013 as part of our R&D by the Sea programme.

The Bo Diddlers perform at The Marine Theatre, Lyme Regis on

Wednesday, August 13th and Thursday, August 14th at 8pm each night.

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View 2 Diary Dates

UNTIL SUNDAY AUGUST 17TH

LYME REGIS: Exhibition 'The Outsiders' at the Malthouse Gallery, Town Mill, from 10.30am-4.30pm each day. Free entry.

UNTIL MONDAY AUGUST 18TH

POUNDBURY: Summer Exhibition: Outdoor Painting. At Gallery on the Square.

UNTIL MONDAY AUGUST 25TH

LYME REGIS: Exhibition: 'Along the Seashore' (in Clay and Print) in the Courtyard Gallery, Town Mill from 10.30am-4.30pm. Free admission.

UNTIL SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 14TH

WEST BAY, BRIDPORT: 'When The Roads Meet' exhibition by Dan Llywelyn Hall (new paintings), Svend Bayer (ceramics), Petter Southall (furniture), at Sladers Yard, West Bay Road. Open 10am-5pm Mon-Sat, 12am-5pm Sundays and Bank Holidays. Free admission. For more details call 01308 459511 or visit www.sladersyard.co.uk

LYME REGIS: On a moonlit night an enormous blue whale leaps from the sea about to belly-flop on Lyme. A tyrannosaurus devours a church and a dragon goes for a holiday in Charmouth. From the space between drawing and photography, Dave Wicken reveals some of the fruits of his imagination in a new exhibition called Strange Scenes from the Borderlands at the Rotunda Gallery, Lyme Regis Museum. Part of re:collection, a Lyme Regis ArtsFest initiative supported using public funding by the National Lottery through Arts Council England. Open daily: 10am-5pm. Free admission.

WEDNESDAY AUGUST 13TH

MARTINSTOWN: Chair-based exercises at the village hall, 11.15-12.30 every Wednesday. £5. For more details call 01308 426390.

DORCHESTER: Coffee Pop-In at Dorchester Community Church, Acland Road, 9.30-12noon every week until end of October. enjoy a lovely cup of coffee or tea, a place to sit and chat and rest where you will receive a friendly welcome.

THURSDAY AUGUST 14TH

BRIDPORT: Bridport Disabled & Friends Club meeting, every Thursday 9am-12noon at Vernons Court Community Room, South Street. Wheelchair Access & facilities. Teas and coffee. All welcome. For more details call 01308 423620, 421213 or 427819

WEYMOUTH: Salvation Army Coffee Morning and Table Top Sale, West Ham Road, from 10.30am-12.30pm. All welcome. Every Thursday. For more details or enquiries call 01305 774244

BRIDPORT: Bridport Burma Star Association annual wreath laying ceremony in St Swithun's Church at 11am. Followed by refreshments in the Vestry Extension. All members and supporters welcome.

LYME REGIS: Church Garden Fete at St Michael's and St George, Silver Street (opposite the Nag's Head). 2-4pm. For more details call 01297 444825.

FRIDAY AUGUST 15TH

WEST BAY, BRIDPORT: Exercise to music at WI Hall, George Street, 3-4.30pm. £5. For more details call 01308 426390.

MARTINSTOWN: 40+ exercise to music at the village hall, 10-11.30am. £5. For more details call 01308 426390.

BROADMAYNE: Market 2-3.30pm, St Martin's Community Hall, (Next to the Church), Cakes, Preserves, Raffle, Craft, Plants and all things for your garden, Bric-a-brac, books, Jigsaws, Cards, Local Pork, Sausages and Eggs, Local Watercress, Plants from a local Nursery and a chance to sit and chat with a cup of tea or coffee. All proceeds to St Martin's Community Hall. For further information please contact Eleanor Piper 01305 853765.

SATURDAY AUGUST 16TH

UPLYME: Ballroom, Latin and some Sequence Dancing at the village hall, 8-10.30pm. £4.50 per person in aid of hall funds. For more details call 01297 442439.

WEYMOUTH: Broadway, Upwey & District Horticultural Society Summer Show in the Memorial Hall, Victoria Avenue, Upwey, starting at 2pm. Come and see the wonderful selection of vegetables, dahlias, cut flowers, pot plants, floral decorations, preserves, cooking, photography and handicrafts that will be on show. Plus there will be a raffle and, of course, our lovely scrummy cakes and teas will be available. Details on 01305 813942.

POWERSTOCK: Powerstock Church Teas from 2-5pm. Plant, produce and craft stall. Donations welcome. For more details call 01308 485207.

BEAMINSTER: Beaminster Horticultural Society is holding its annual Summer Show in the Public Hall, at 2pm. The Show is open to both members and non-members alike.

BOTHENHAMPTON: Film: The Grand Budapest Hotel. Shown at the village hall, doors 7pm, film 7.30pm. Tickets £4 on the door for members of the film club, £5 for everybody else. For more details call 01308 423071

ABBOTSBURY: Table top sale in Abbotsbury village hall from 10.30 - 3.30pm. We will be selling books, bric-a-brac, clothes and various other items. There will be refreshments available. Tables will be £5 to hire. Please contact 01305 871629 to book a table.

WEYMOUTH: Weymouth Salvation Army Core on the streets of Weymouth from 10am-2pm collecting donations towards the Salvation Army National Big Collection. 100% of all collected will go towards helping those in need. At the same time a Coffee Morning and Table Top Sale will take place at the Citadel in Western Road, also in aid of the Salvation Army Community Work.

SUNDAY AUGUST 17TH

CHIDEOCK: The 'Friends' of the RC church and the church of St Giles are getting together to provide teas and delicious homemade cakes on Sundays through the Summer. The venue is the little museum alongside the Church of Our Lady & St Ignatius in North Road, Chideock.

Kids get Creative with Artsreach

TWO creative Artsreach workshops for children are taking place at Martinstown village hall during the next fortnight, and places are filling up rapidly.

Children who like to dance will love the workshop based on 'The Lion King', taking place on August 15th, 12pm-4pm. All the wild animals will come together to celebrate the circle of life in this fun, energetic, contemporary African dance workshop, which ends with a special show for friends and family to enjoy.

Then, inspired by hare stories and myths form across the world, children can learn to use willow and tissue to create a Ridgeway Hare Lantern on August 22nd, 10am-3pm. Celebrate the hare as a runner, a messenger, a boxer, a mad March hare of the hare in the moon. Age restrictions apply. Telephone Fran: 01305 889963 for more information and to book.

We also have a workshop taking place at Toller Porcorum on the 14th August which our promoter has asked for help in advertising, but I'm not sure whether that would be in your area or not? Just in case, the details are as follows:

Fitness, health and wellbeing



MONDAY

3.45-4.30pm 11-16YR OLDS TRAMPOLINING COURSE

4.30-5.15pm 4-11YR OLDS TRAMPOLINING COURSE

4.45-6.00pm SILKS AERIAL COURSE 11-16YR OLDS

5.15-6.15pm PILATES

6.00-7.15pm SILKS AERIAL COURSE ADULTS (16+)

6.30-7.30pm CIRCUITS

7.45-8.30pm GROUP STUDIO CYCLING

TUESDAY

6.30-7.30pm ZUMBA

WEDNESDAY

4.00-6.00pm GYMNASTICS

6.00-6.45pm GROUP STUDIO CYCLING

6.00-7.00pm BFIT RUNNING CLUB

7.00-8.00pm BACK 2 NETBALL CLUB

8.00-9.30pm VOLLEYBALL

THURSDAY

6.30-7.30pm KETTLERCISE

FRIDAY

6.00-7.00pm SILKS MIXED CLASS

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For further information on classes and courses please call Richard on 07792 791038 or 01308 861911

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Children and their families can work together, collecting and using local plants found growing in hedgerows and gardens to make their own dyes and colour sheep's wool to produce a whole range of colours in a Really Wild Wool workshop at Toller Porcorum on August 14th. This is a family workshop, but children aged 10+ can attend unaccompanied. For more details and to book, contact Debbie on 01300 320373.

Car boot sale

Visit
DORCHESTER MARKET
every Wednesday 8am-2pm
and
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1QS, Hotline Chris on 07889 616166

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Weymouth Rugby Club (Monmouth Avenue)
Every Saturday Afternoon 1pm - 4pm

All Sellers £5 for as much room required

Weymouth Football Club (Wessex Way)
Every Sunday Afternoon 1pm - 4pm

All Sellers £6 for as much room required

All hard Standing. Refreshments and Toilets Available

Strictly no helpers or Buyers before 1pm

Public car parking, 50p per car. Strictly no dogs.

Further info (Rugby Club): 07779 994 179 / 07979 345 914

Further info (Football Club): 07856 891 643 / 07979 345 914

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View 2 Diary Dates

WEST BAY, NR BRIDPORT: The RNLI annual Fun Day will take place at the Harbour and Green in West Bay from 1pm. until 5pm. The event includes an Air - Sea Rescue Display (subject to operational requirements). There will be an opportunity to ride in a 'D' Class Inflatable Lifeboat. Cream teas, cakes and light refreshments will be available at the Salt House, and the various stalls and games will make this a great day out for the whole family.

MONDAY AUGUST 18TH

BRIDPORT: 40+ exercise to music at WI Hall, North Street, 5.45-7pm. £5. Call 01308 426390 for more details. Every Monday.

LYME REGIS: Film: All Over The Town, made in Lyme in 1948, starring Norman Wooland, Sarah Churchill, Bryan Forbes, plus Memories of the Lyme Regis Branch (railway line Lyme Regis to Axminster). Shown at the Town Mill Malthouse. Door opens at 6.30 pm; films start at 7pm. Bar with wine and soft drinks. Admission £5, children £2. For tickets call 01297 443135, or on the door. Fundraiser for, and all proceeds to, The Town Mill.

TUESDAY AUGUST 19TH

WEST BAY, BRIDPORT: Chair-based exercises at West Bay WI, George Street, 10.30am-11.45am. £5. For more details call 01308 426390.

DORCHESTER: Meeting of the Friends of Crossways Library History Group at 7.30pm, with the subject 'Dorset and The Great War'. At The Library, Old Farm Way. £3 or £2 for members of the Friends.

WEDNESDAY AUGUST 20TH

MARTINSTOWN: Chair-based exercises at the village hall, 11.15-12.30 every Wednesday. £5. For more details call 01308 426390.

DORCHESTER: Coffee Pop-In at Dorchester Community Church, Acland Road, 9.30-12noon every week until end of October. enjoy a lovely cup of coffee or tea, a place to sit and chat and rest where you will receive a friendly welcome.

THURSDAY AUGUST 21ST

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WEYMOUTH: Salvation Army Coffee Morning and Table Top Sale, West Ham Road, from 10.30am-12.30pm. All welcome. For more details or enquiries call 01305 774244

FRIDAY AUGUST 22ND

WEST BAY, BRIDPORT: Exercise to music at WI Hall, George Street, 3-4.30pm. £5. For more details call 01308 426390.

MARTINSTOWN: 40+ exercise to music at the village hall, 10-11.30am. £5. For more details call 01308 426390.

FRIDAY AUGUST 22ND - MONDAY AUGUST 25TH

BURTON BRADSTOCK: Art & Craft Sale at The Reading Room. 10am-4pm each day. Free entry.

SATURDAY AUGUST 23RD

BRIDPORT: Rock Night at the Beehive. Disco from 'Anything That Rocks', and live music from local band Afterlife, playing rock covers including Metallica, Avenged Sevenfold, Guns 'N' Roses and more. 8pm to 1am. All proceeds to Weldmar Hospice Care. Raffle and tombola. For more details visit the Facebook page by searching 'Anything that rocks music 2014'.

SATURDAY AUGUST 23RD - TUESDAY AUGUST 26TH
MORCOMBELAKE: A variety of vibrant, colourful paintings in oils, acrylics, watercolour, collage and pastel, also etchings, monoprints and collagraphs on the theme 'Hardwon Hill'. We are a well established group of artists who meet and work together at this venue. Wrapped prints, cards and refreshments also available. DT6 6EA. Open Saturday to Tuesday; 10am-5pm. Free admission.

SUNDAY AUGUST 24TH

CHIDEOCK: The 'Friends' of the RC church and the church of St Giles are getting together to provide teas and delicious homemade cakes on Sundays through the Summer. The venue is the little museum alongside the Church of Our Lady & St Ignatius in North Road, Chideock. 2.30-5.30pm.

MONDAY AUGUST 25TH

BURTON BRADSTOCK: Biodanza @ Othona. Express, Connect, Relax! Dance like no one's watching, no steps to learn, no partner needed, uplifting world music and holistic health benefits. For all ages from 19 to 90. 7.15pm for 7.30pm. Join in bimonthly with teachers, Jill Goodwin on 2nd Mondays, and Naropa Burns on 4th Mondays. Free for Biodanza newbies! Cost £7 (Cons avail - just ask). Othona Community, Coast Road, DT6 4RN. Contact Robin 01308 897 130

BRIDPORT: 40+ Aerobic exercise to music at WI Hall, North Street, 5.45-7pm. £5. Call 01308 426390 for more details. Every Monday.

TUESDAY AUGUST 26TH

WEST BAY, BRIDPORT: Chair-based aerobics at West Bay WI, George Street, 10.30am-11.45am. £5. For more details call 01308 426390. Every Tuesday.

TUESDAY AUGUST 26TH - MONDAY SEPT 15TH
LYME REGIS: Exhibition: Scenes from a Southern County at the Courtyard Gallery, Town Mill, 10am-5pm. Free admission. For more details visit www.townmillartsguild.com

WEDNESDAY AUGUST 27TH

LYME REGIS: Pub Quiz at the Inn Paice, Pilot Boat Inn, Lyme Regis, starting at 7.30pm. For more details call 01297 444733.

DORCHESTER: Coffee Pop-In at Dorchester Community Church, Acland Road, 9.30-12noon every week until end of October. enjoy a lovely cup of coffee or tea, a place to sit and chat and rest where you will receive a friendly welcome.

EXPERIENCE THE METROPOLITAN OPERA AT BRIDPORT ARTS CENTRE

BE TRANSPORTED to New York's world-famous Metropolitan Opera House with a series of performance broadcasts at Bridport Arts Centre. Audiences will get to see a series of 10 live performances transmitted in high definition from the famous opera house in New York.

The season starts with Macbeth, Giuseppe Verdi on Tuesday, October 14th. Star soprano Anna Netrebko delivers her searing portrayal of Lady Macbeth, the mad and murderous mate of Željko Lučić's doomed Macbeth. Adrian Noble's chilling production of Verdi's masterful adaptation of Shakespeare's tragedy also stars Joseph Calleja as the noble Macduff and René Pape as Banquo. Fabio Luisi conducts.

Other upcoming shows include The Marriage of Figaro (Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart) on Tuesday 28 October, Carmen (Georges Bizet) Tuesday, November 11th

and The Barber of Seville, Gioacchino Rossini live on Tuesday, December 9th.

A two course Opera Supper priced £14 will be available in the interval. It will be made using quality local ingredients by our Art Garden Cafe. All food must be booked in advance as places are limited.

Booking is open now for the autumn/winter 2014/15 season.

Tickets: Full price: £16.50, Member: £15, Child: £12, Student: £12, Concession in receipt of benefits: £12.00, Subscription of 4 or more productions: 10% discount.



REGULAR followers of Lyme Regis Dramatic Society productions will no doubt have been disappointed that no plays have been presented this year. An unprecedented event – or non-event! Unfortunately circumstances seemed to conspire and the Spring production had to be cancelled through casting difficulties. Rehearsals were started on two good plays but members of cast weren't lost until it was too late to recast, rehearse and present the plays to the Society's usual standard. The Autumn production usually in September/October has been amalgamated with Jenny Wiles production of 'Oh What A Lovely War' in November so there appears to be nothing under Lyme Regis Dramatic Society's own name.

But all is not lost – the Society has now arranged two evenings of hilarious entertainment consisting of two one-act comedies and a supper – aptly entitled "2 Laughs & A Bite". The first play 'Immobiles' by the well known comedy writer Michael Frayn harks back to the days before mobile phones were the norm and people communicated on telephones, leaving

messages on answering machines and picking up calls meant for other people. All the ensuing confusion results in some funny situations between 4 totally different characters as they become increasingly frustrated with the muddle! The cast for this is Linda Crawford, Fred Humphrey, Pam Ladd, and Jim Pettifer. The second play 'Last Panto in Little Grimley' by David Tristram, is another gem, giving an overview of a failing amdrum group attempting to survive by producing a panto on a shoestring. The director in the play has written a saucy twist to the usual plot to entice the audience. The cast for this play is David Ballinger, Hazel Cawte, Anne King and Mike Whatmore. Some superb comic actors who can be relied on to really entertain. Both plays have been directed by our comedy supremo, Cherine Hill, and the sound/lighting effects (of which there are many) are by Tony Hill.

Between these two plays is a tasty two-course meal with a vegetarian

option – which needs to be stipulated when booking.

The production will take place at Woodmead Hall on Friday and Saturday 29th and 30th August commencing at 7.30 p.m. Tickets are £12.50 each, seating for the evening is around tables 6/8 and tickets can be obtained from the TIC, 01297 442138.

Obviously booking needs to be in advance for catering arrangements and we do expect this to be well supported so you are recommended to book your places as soon as you can.

Member of the Season lost seven stone!



▲ MEMBER OF THE SEASON | Zita on her favourite piece of equipment in the Fitness Suite and with her old pair of Jeans that no longer fit her!

MISS Zita Zimbalatti has been awarded 'Member of the Season' at Bridport Leisure Centre because of the huge amount of dedication, motivation and perseverance she has shown in her exercise regime.

Zita joined Bridport Leisure Centre in September 2013 as she wanted to lose weight, get fit and tone up and now uses the Fitness Suite and Swimming Pool as often as she can. She was initially inspired to lose weight by her aunty, Ms. Natalie Harper who runs Slimming World Classes in Bridport. Zita has been attending the Wednesday morning sessions at Slimming World in Bridport since July 2013 and along with her new fitness regime at the Leisure Centre has noticed the weight falling off and is "feeling great"!

Other key factors that inspired and motivated Zita to change her lifestyle included her partner's illness, and her son Marley who loves all things Sport and Fitness related. Zita commented "I can now run around with Marley and be more active everyday which is fantastic; I also have a greater appreciation for life. I've had so much support from my friends and family it has been incredible and boosted my confidence and motivation".

Since being awarded Member of the Season, Zita has lost a further 7lbs, making her total loss an amazing seven Stone! She's so pleased with the benefits exercise has brought to her health and overall sense of well-being that she is keeping up her exercise programme with a target to lose nine stone in total by Christmas.

Zita said: "It's a really lovely surprise to be named Member of the Season. I look forward to going to the Leisure Centre to work out and I love the treadmill! Everyone at the Leisure Centre has been so supportive

and helped me a lot. I have had some really hard weeks, but since winning Member of the Season I am really motivated to hit my weight loss target my Christmas." Zita was presented with a gift voucher to use at Soulshine Café on South Street in Bridport.

Bridport Leisure Centre commented, "We've been really impressed by Zita's hard work and commitment, she has done amazingly well and we wish her all the best with reaching her goal. It's fantastic watching so many of our members attain their personal goals – whether it is losing weight, increasing their fitness or learning a new skill and we would like to thank Soulshine Café for sponsoring our Member of the Season".

LYME DRAMA Lyme Regis Dramatic Society

2 LAUGHS & A BITE

An Evening with Two Hilarious Plays and a Tasty Supper

YOUR STARTER

IMMOBILES
BY MICHAEL FRAYNE

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FOLLOWED BY LEMON DRIZZLE CAKE

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BY DAVID TRISTRAM

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GREASE

Tue 26th Aug - Sat 30th Aug 7:30pm
(Sat matinee 2.30pm)
at Bridport Arts Centre

Adults: £12 Students and under 18s: £10

Tickets: 01308 424204 or book online: www.bridport-arts.com

"Grease" is presented through special arrangement with and all authorized performance materials are supplied by Theatrical Rights Worldwide (TRW), 370 Seventh Avenue, Suite 3106, New York, NY 10018.

Member of the Season

Sponsored by SOULSHINE, Coffee House - Juice Bar - Cafe - Shop
76 South Street, Bridport, Dorset DT6 3NN

Summer 2014

Zita Zimbalatti

How long have you been a member and how often do you use the facilities?
I have been a Price for Life Member for almost a year and use the Fitness Suite and Swimming Pool 1-2 times a week.

What was your initial reason for using the Fitness Suite?
To help tone up, keep fit and lose weight. When I started I weighed 24st 6lbs and I have lost 6st 7lbs! My target is to lose 9st in total by Christmas.

What is your favourite piece of equipment and why?
I love the treadmill! I like a challenge and seeing how fast I can push myself and how high I can go.

What do you like about using the Centre?
I like the friendly warm welcome I get when I come in. Everyone has been so supportive and helped me a lot. I have had some really hard weeks, but since winning Member of the Season I am really motivated to hit my weight loss target by Christmas. Thank you!

Congratulations Zita!

We are really impressed with your hardwork and commitment. You have done amazingly well! We hope you enjoy your prize and wish you all the best with meeting your target.
From all the staff at Bridport Leisure Centre



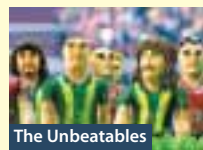
Cinema Listings

Friday, Aug 15th - Thurs, Aug 21st
ALL LISTINGS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE

LYME REGIS REGENT
Tel: 0871 230 3200
www.scottcinemas.co.uk
The House of Magic^U
Daily: 13.45, 16.00
The Inbetweeners 2¹⁵
Daily: 18.25, 20.50

DORCHESTER ODEON
Tel: 0871 22 44 007
www.odeon.co.uk
Contact cinemas or visit the websites for up-to-date listings

DORCHESTER PLAZA
Tel: 01305 262488
www.plazadorchester.com
Contact cinemas or visit the websites for up-to-date listings



This week's new cinema releases

THE EXPENDABLES 3^{12A}
BARNEY and his team, known as "The Expendables", come into conflict with ruthless arms dealer Conrad Stonebanks, the Expendables' co-founder, who is determined to destroy the team.
All-star cast includes Sylvester Stallone, Jason Statham, Jet Li and Arnold Schwarzenegger.

BLOOD TIES¹⁵
TWO brothers, on either side of the law, face off over organized crime in Brooklyn during the 1970s.
Stars Clive Owen, Marion Cotillard and Billy Crudup.

THE CONGRESS¹⁵
AN AGING, out-of-work actress accepts one last job, though the consequences of her decision affect her in ways she didn't consider.
Stars Robin Wright, Harvey Keitel and Jon Hamm.

THE ROVER¹⁵

WEYMOUTH CINEWORLD
Tel: 0871 200 2000 - www.cineworld.co.uk
The Inbetweeners 2¹⁵
Daily: 11.00, 13.15, 15.35, 17.55, 19.30, 21.05
Guardians of the Galaxy^{12A}
Fri-Tue: 11.00, 13.45, 16.30, 17.45, 19.15, 20.30
Wed & Thu: 11.30, 14.15, 17.00, 19.45
Dawn Of The Planet Of The Apes^{12A}
Daily: 11.30, 14.20, 17.10, 20.00
Planes: Fire and Rescue^U
Fri-Tue: 10.00, 11.55, 14.00, 16.05
Wed & Thu: 10.00, 11.55, 14.00
How To Train Your Dragon 2^{PG}
Daily: 10.30, 12.55, 15.20
The Nut Job^U
Fri, Mon-Thu: 10.25, 12.35
Sat & Sun: 12.35
Hercules^{12A}
Fri-Tue: 15.55, 18.15, 20.35
Wed & Thu: 15.55, 18.15
Frozen^{PG}
Fri, Sun-Tue: 11.00am, Sat: 10.15am
Rio 2^U
Sat & Sun: 10.25am
Step Up: All In^{12A}
Fri-Mon: 13.30, Tue: 13.30, 18.10
Earth To Echo^{PG}

10 YEARS after a global economic collapse, a hardened loner pursues the men who stole his only possession, his car. Along the way, he captures one of the thieves' brother, and the duo form an uneasy bond during the dangerous journey.
Stars Guy Pearce, Robert Pattinson and Scoot McNairy.

THE UNBEATABLES¹⁵
A YOUNG man named Amadeo sets off on an unexpected adventure with the players of his beloved Table Football game.
Animated fun with voices from Peter Serafinowicz, Rupert Grint and Anthony Head.

HECTOR AND THE SEARCH FOR HAPPINESS¹⁵
A PSYCHIATRIST searches the globe to find the secret of happiness.
Comedy starring Rosamund Pike, Simon Pegg and Toni Collette.

Award-winning musical theatre and Australian opera to be shown live at Odeon Dorchester this autumn

THIS autumn sees a wealth of A-list talent gracing the screens of Odeon Dorchester, with an eclectic series of live alternative screenings taking place. With everything from opera and musical theatre, to events at the London Literature Festival scheduled to be broadcast from all over the world, there are screenings to suit all interests.

National Theatre Live has announced an international broadcast of Great Britain's production of Euripides' powerful Greek tragedy *Medea*, in a new version by Ben Power. Directed by Carrie Cracknell and starring Helen McCrory in the title role, the production will be broadcast live from the National's Olivier Theatre on Thursday, September 4th at 7pm.

For one night only on Thursday, September 18th, Odeon Dorchester will screen one of the world's most spectacular opera events direct from Australia. The Handa Opera will perform a modern retelling of Puccini's tale of love and honour, *Madama Butterfly*, captured live from the waters of the Sydney Harbour on a magnificent floating stage.

Fans of Stephen Fry can get a sneak preview of his latest volume of memoirs, *More Fool Me*, on Wednesday, October 1st at 7:15pm. His previous memoir, *The Fry Chronicles*, was the biggest 2010 autobiography in the UK, selling more than one million copies world-

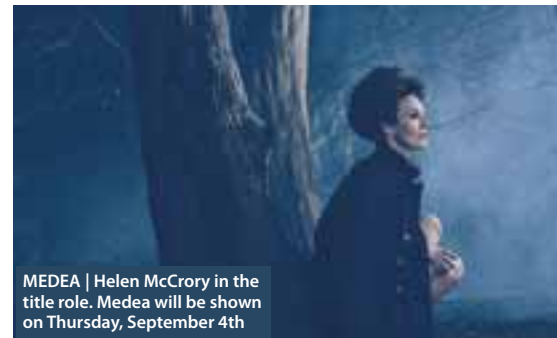
wide, and his latest book is a heady tale of the late eighties and early nineties in which Stephen, driven to create, perform and entertain - burned bright, partied hard and damned the consequences. Stephen Fry Live: *More fool me* offers a rare opportunity to see the multi-award-winning comedian, actor, presenter, writer and raconteur on stage live.

To round off the month of live screenings, award-winning Billy Elliot The Musical Live will be screened live from London's West End on Monday September 28 at 2pm and 7pm. Based on the Academy Award® nominated film, Billy Elliot The Musical has won the hearts

season of alternative screenings this autumn and are proud to be bringing such an impressive programme to the people of Dorchester and the surrounding communities. How often can you say you've had the Australian Opera perform 'live' on your doorstep!

The Odeon Dorchester is situated within the Brewery Square development and tickets can be booked by calling 0871 224 1891 or visiting www.odeon.co.uk/cinemas/dorchester/214/

Further information about each production can also be viewed on the website.



MEDEA | Helen McCrory in the title role. Medea will be shown on Thursday, September 4th

Entertain the children with Khumba - a comedy for the whole family

A MISFIT zebra embarks on an amazing adventure in search of his missing stripes in the colourful animation *Khumba*, to be shown at Bridport Arts Centre on Saturday, August 23rd at 3pm.

Young Khumba (Jake T. Austin) is a zebra who was born with half his stripes missing. When drought afflicts the land, his supersti-

tious herd blame him for their misfortune. So our courageous hero sets off across South Africa's Great Karoo in search of the faraway waterhole where, legend has it, the first zebras got their stripes. Along the way, Khumba teams up with sassy, maternal wildebeest Mama V (Loretta Devine) and sarcastic, neurotic ostrich Bradley (Richard E. Grant). But danger stalks them in the ferocious form of Phango (Liam Neeson). Blind in one eye, this cruel and bullying leopard believes that eating Khumba will make him whole again!

The film was co-written by Jonathan Roberts, one of the writers of Disney classic *The Lion King*, it is a fast paced and funny South African animation boasts a fabulous voice cast.

Tickets are £6, Members Tickets £5, Concession Tickets £5, Under 16s £4 - buy five tickets get one free. For more details or to book call 01308 427183 or visit www.bridport-arts.com



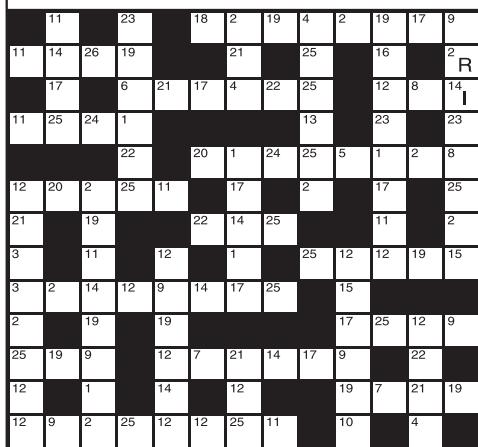
KHUMBA | Family fun to be shown at Bridport Arts Centre on August 23rd

Brain Gym

No.286

Codeword

Each number in the grid represents a different letter of the alphabet and every letter of the alphabet is used. Use the given letter(s) to the right of the main grid to start you off.



LAST WEEK'S SOLUTION:

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
F	J	K	X	B	A	G	L	P	I	H	O	D
M	S	Z	N	R	V	C	E	U	Q	W	Y	T

Double Crossword

Choose either quick or cryptic clues - both fit the same grid.

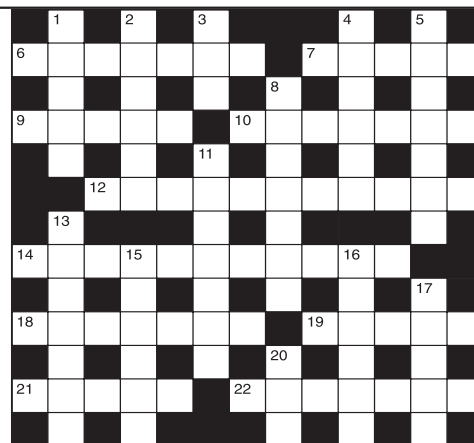
Cryptic Clues:

Across

6. See 11 Down
7 & 21Ac. He delights in hearing the score (5,5)
9 & 19Ac. Does this dawn on you in a shattering way? (5,2,3)
10. See 1 Down
12. An offer within the law which the creditor can't refuse (5,6)
14. It was destroyed by a storm at the end of the eighteenth century (3,8)
18. An artistic effort is proving attractive (7)
19. See 9 Across
21. See 7 Across
22. Ancestry and rank a considerable time afterwards (7)

Down

- 1 & 10Ac. It's kept by the keen-eyed sentry (5,4-3)
2. Wear away a piece of ribbon, one hears (6)
3. One spot for the expert (3)
4. Old boot used for street entertainin' (6)
5. Certain amount of time for the records (7)
8. I cannot change what boxes do (7)
11 & 6Ac. Not accepting responsibility for circulating American currency (7,3,4)
13. Conveyance number ten in the diagram (7)
15. Headgear for the woodsman! (6)
16. Made away with the goods, as the crane operator did (6)
17. The French cry of disgust produces a sound of merriment (5)
20. Capital cover that's locked (3)



Quick Clues:

Across

6. Lasting (7)
7. Extend (5)
9. Condition (5)
10. Deny (7)
12. Strained (5,6)
14. Actor (5,6)
18. Guard (7)
19. Bear (5)
21. Meal (5)
22. Gather (7)

Down

1. Allotment (5)
2. Fix (6)
3. Cunning (3)
4. Victor (6)
5. Fall back (7)
8. Rower (7)
11. Esteem (7)
13. Germ-free (7)
15. Elicit (3,3)
16. Empower (6)
17. Ruse (5)
20. Rapture (3)

Sudoku

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Fill in the grid below so that every column, every row and each of the 3x3 boxes contains all the digits from 1 to 9.

LAST WEEK'S SOLUTIONS >

3	8	6	2	7	9	1	5	4
5	1	4	3	6	8	7	9	2
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LAST WEEK'S CROSSWORD SOLUTIONS:
CRYPTIC - Across: 1 Wasted time; 7 Lathe; 8 Related; 10 Striding; 11 Frau; 13 Mobile; 15 Vassal; 17 Turn; 18 Confront; 21 Hearing; 22 Ariel; 23 Undertakes. Down: 1 Water; 2 Steadily; 3 Erring; 4 Tale; 5 Matures; 6 Close match; 9 Double talk; 12 Half-back; 14 Bargain; 16 Sought; 19 Omits; 20 Side. QUICK - Across: 1 Assistance; 7 Tight; 8 Chianti; 10 Narrated; 11 Tier; 13 Indeed; 15 Duress; 17 Each; 18 Tropical; 21 Stamina; 22 Chant; 23 Needlessly. Down: 1 Auger; 2 Situated; 3 Secret; 4 Aird; 5 Concise; 6 Stinginess; 9 Irresolute; 12 Aspices; 14 Declare; 16 Ornate; 19 Crazy; 20 Kind.

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Four Bedroom House – NOC – ER:D

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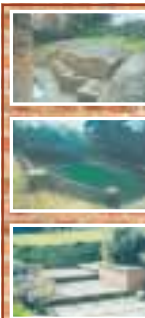


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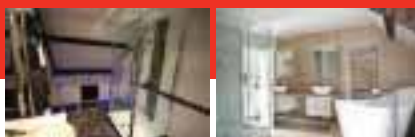
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▲ The new Range Rover Sport SVR

THE Range Rover Sport SVR is set to make its global debut at Pebble Beach on 14 August. The fastest, most powerful Land Rover ever produced is the first model to wear the SVR designation being adopted by future Land Rover and Jaguar high-performance models.

The Range Rover Sport SVR accelerates from 0-60mph in just 4.5 seconds. A top speed electronically limited to 162mph and a Nürburgring Nordschleife lap time of 8 minutes 14 seconds – one of the fastest times ever recorded by a production SUV – underline its performance credentials.

The SVR's range-topping 5.0-litre supercharged V8 engine has been developed to produce 550PS and 680Nm – substantial 40PS and 56Nm increases – without compromising fuel economy.

And its advanced ZF 8HP70 8-speed automatic transmission and four-wheel-drive chassis have been optimised to complement its astonishing performance, whatever the weather.

In a world first for Land Rover, the Range Rover Sport SVR is equipped with a two-stage active exhaust featuring electronically controlled valves. The system optimises sound quality, performance and aesthetics and provides a racecar-inspired soundtrack at higher engine revs without adversely affecting refinement during steady-state driving.

Meanwhile, in another first for Range Rover, unique 22-inch alloy wheels with performance-optimised 295/40 R22 Continental SportContact 5 tyres complement the driver-focused chassis. As standard, new 21-inch alloy wheels with 275/45

R21 all-season tyres offer unparalleled all-terrain capability.

Exterior design enhancements ensure the SVR makes a striking visual impact, while simultaneously boosting cooling and aerodynamic efficiencies. A bespoke interior featuring unique sports seats provides further visual differentiation and ensures occupants are held securely in place.

John Edwards, Managing Director of Land Rover's Special Operations, said: "The Range Rover Sport SVR is a natural progression beyond the core vehicle's outstanding on- and off-road capabilities and leading-edge design. Its exhilarating performance will satisfy a particularly demanding customer set."

"A thorough range of revisions specially developed by Land Rover's Special Vehicle Operations combine to make this premium derivative even more distinctive both inside and out, as well as taking its dynamic capabilities to the next level without impacting on comfort, refinement or all-terrain versatility. The Range Rover Sport SVR is truly the world's most capable performance SUV."

The Range Rover Sport SVR builds on the success of the new Range Rover Sport, with its all-aluminium monocoque – a world first in the segment – which reduces weight by 39% compared with its predecessor and provides the ideal strong, stiff and lightweight structure on which to create the Range Rover Sport SVR. The premium sports SUV unleashes the full potential of the lightweight and robust all-aluminium architecture, while retaining the refinement, luxury and off-road capability for which Range Rover is world renowned.

SVR is fitted with permanent four-wheel drive and a two-speed transfer case, with a low-range option for demanding terrain, and a 50/50 percent torque split front-to-rear. The upgraded air suspension system automatically varies between

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The Range Rover Sport SVR's lightweight aluminium suspension is fully-independent, with wide-spaced double-wishbones at the front and an advanced multi-link layout at the rear. Wheel-travel is class-leading (260mm front and 272mm rear) and provides exceptional wheel articulation of 546mm to deal with the toughest conditions.

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High-Tech Audi TT is Ready to Blaze a New Trail in The UK



▲ The new Audi TT

ALL-NEW Audi sports car with revolutionary all-digital virtual cockpit heads for the UK with a choice blend of performance, efficiency and equipment.

Automotive supercomputer meets state-of-the-art sports car in the all-new Audi TT, which is available to order in the UK from today priced from £29,770 OTR ahead of first deliveries in December. Enveloping its stunning all-digital virtual cockpit and advanced new chassis in a beautiful new body that is unmistakably TT but also distinctly contemporary, the third generation car looks set to incite another quiet revolution in its class. It will even set the agenda in terms of efficiency – despite appropriate performance the new 184PS ultra version will be capable of in excess of 67mpg with CO2 emissions of just

110g/km.

Two specification levels – Sport and S line – will initially be offered in the UK for the all-new TT. Both include the Audi virtual cockpit, which is based around a 12.3-inch, high resolution LCD display that completely fills the driver's instrument binnacle and replaces the traditional analogue dials. Its brilliantly sharp images are courtesy of a powerful Tegra 30 graphics processor from Nvidia's Tegra 3 series.

Drivers can choose between two display modes: In the classic view, the speedometer and rev counter are in the foreground; in "infotainment" mode the virtual instruments are smaller. The space that becomes free as a result provides ample room for other functions, such as the navigation map. At the lower

edge of the Audi virtual cockpit, the displays for outside temperature, time and mileage are permanently visible. Warning or information symbols are also displayed there.

Interior technology highlights from the equipment list for Sport models also include the Multi Media Interface with the MMI touch pad for fingertip data entry, navigation preparation, Audi Music Interface and Bluetooth connectivity, the Audi drive select adaptive dynamics system and keyless go. Complementary comforts also include Alcantara and leather combination upholstery for the standard sports seats and manual air conditioning with controls integrated into the air vents in another break with convention. Outside the cabin, 18-inch 10-spoke alloy wheels, sports suspension, xenon headlamps with LED daytime running lights and a speed-dependent active rear spoiler all also feature as standard.

LED headlights as standard for S line

S line specification is the most comprehensive and the most performance-oriented in the initial TT line-up. It adds larger 19-inch alloy wheels with a five-arm star design, all-weather LED headlights and LED tail lights flanked by dynamic rear indicators with a directional sweeping function and S line body styling. It also offers particularly committed drivers the no cost option to swap to tauter S line sports suspension bringing a further 10mm reduction in ride height.

From the options list, even more of the remarkable Audi virtual cockpit's potential can be unlocked by the Technology Package, which includes hard disk-based navigation mapping that can completely fill the 12.3-inch TFT monitor, and also beams the Internet

to the car via Audi connect.

This brings features such as Google Maps, Google Street View, Audi traffic information online, price-graded refuelling locations in the vicinity and the latest news, flight and train information to streamline every journey. It also adds Audi music stream and access to social media services such as Facebook and Twitter. For sound that is as attention-grabbing as the cabin's visuals, a 680-watt, twelve-speaker Bang & Olufsen audio system can be specified in addition.

On the outside, the range of nine paint colour options for Sport models includes two shades that are new to the Audi range – Tango Red and Nano Grey. The list of available colours for S line versions includes one extra choice – Daytona Grey. Another highlight ex-

terior option is matrix LED headlights, each of which features 12 separate LED bulbs which dim individually when sensors detect oncoming or following traffic to automatically divert light around obstacles without the need to deactivate the high beam setting.

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At 4.18 metres long, the Coupé is almost exactly the same length as its predecessor, though its wheelbase has grown by 37 mm to 2,505 mm, making for especially short overhangs. It is 1,832 mm wide, and has the same height as the previous model at 1,353 mm. As a 2+2 seater, it is a sports car that is suitable for everyday use, with a load area capacity of 305 litres - 13 litres more than before - which can be increased to 712 litres by folding the rear seat backrests forwards.



▲ The new Audi TT



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Ten Ways To Enjoy Hassle-Free Holiday Car Hire

WITH the summer holidays now in full swing, the British Vehicle Rental and Leasing Association (BVRLA) has created a list of the ten things travellers can do to have a smooth car rental experience.

"Whether you're heading abroad to the Italian lakes or going on a staycation to one of Britain's beaches, a hire car is the ideal way to have an enjoyable holiday this summer," said BVRLA Chief Executive Gerry Keaney.

"Car rental is more flexible than public transport and far more cost-effective than taking taxis everywhere, so it gives millions of tourists the freedom to explore their destination in comfort and at their own pace.

"There are more than 10 million car rental transactions every year, and the vast majority are without complaint due to high standards of customer service. However, both customers and car rental staff can make mistakes during this busy time of the year, so we've put together a list of the top ten ways to enjoy hassle-free car hire."

1: Beware of bogus car rental companies. It's all too easy to be hoodwinked by a bogus company offering very low prices and nationwide availability, even for last minute bookings. So remember – if it looks or sounds too good to be true, it probably is.

2: Use a BVRLA member. Seeing the BVRLA logo on the website or in the branch when you're booking is a sign that you are dealing with a reputable company that has been vetted and operates to a professional code of conduct. Using a member also means you can use our conciliation service in the unlikely event of any dispute. You can find BVRLA members near you by using our website: www.carhire.bvrla.co.uk

3: Do your homework. If you're relying on a price comparison or aggregator site when getting quotes, pay close attention to what is and isn't in-

cluded in the price. Many only give you a basic drive-away cost that may not include your specific requirements for things like additional drivers, child seats or sat-navs. Plus, some rental companies charge extra if you can't return the vehicle to the same location or are leaving the country.

4: Read the paperwork. Make sure you read and understand the terms and conditions of your contract with the rental company. Ask for a copy prior to your rental, so that you can read it in your own time rather than when you've just arrived at your destination. This ensures you have plenty of time to read it through, and means you can call the rental company to discuss any questions you may have.

5: Understand the insurance excess and waivers. People take different approaches to risk, and often change their mind, so rental companies offer a variety of products to help consumers reduce their liability in the event of an accident or incident. With this in mind, it's vital to check if there are any exclusions to your loss/damage waiver or your insurance. In many cases, windscreens, tyres and roof damage are not covered. It's also worth thinking ahead about what sort of cover you want. Whatever you do, don't leave your decision until you arrive at your destination.

6: Find a fuelling option that suits you. Your car rental quote will not include fuel. Most companies will give you the option of buying a tank of fuel from them and returning the car empty or returning it with a full tank. Remember what you agreed to, otherwise you could end up gifting the rental company a free tank of fuel or paying an extra charge to have the tank re-filled.

7: Tell the rental firm how you plan to use the vehicle. Make sure that you tell the rental company if you're going to take the vehicle abroad – some companies won't let you take rental cars into certain

countries. You'll also need relevant documentation, such as a VE103B certificate and proof that you're insured to drive the vehicle in that country. It's always worth doing your research on local traffic regulations, restricted zones (e.g.: London Congestion Zone) or tolls (e.g.: Dartford Tunnel). Your rental company will be happy to advise you if you ask.

8: Arrive prepared. Remember to turn up at the rental desk with the credit card you used to make your booking and both parts of your driving licence – the paper counterpart and the photocard. Ensure you have thought about whether you are prepared to pay for any extra cover or an upgrade, and take a copy of your rental confirmation and terms and conditions so you know what you have already agreed or paid for.

9: Check the vehicle over before you drive away. Do a thorough inspection, inside and out, walking all the way around the vehicle. Note every single chip, dent and scratch. Pay particular attention to the wheels, windscreen and lights, which are common damage areas. Don't sign any paperwork until you have read it through and are happy with it. Before you drive the hire vehicle away, familiarise yourself with all of its controls – lights, windscreen wipers etc.

10: Don't just drop and dash. When returning your vehicle, allow plenty of time so you can check over the vehicle's condition with a rental agent present. This is particularly important if you're returning a car to a busy rental site, such as an airport. It's always best to return the vehicle during opening hours so that someone can check it over with you and sign the condition report. If you return a vehicle outside these hours, you're liable for any damage that occurs between the drop-off and the inspection. If this situation can't be avoided, take pictures of the car to prove the condition you left it in.

Ford Reveals That One in Three Young Brits Have Taken a 'Selfie' While Driving

FORD research for its acclaimed Driving Skills for Life programme has revealed that young Brit drivers are the most likely to take a 'selfie' while at the wheel.

According to the survey, British drivers were the most likely to photograph themselves (a 'selfie') while on the move (33 per cent), ahead of counterparts in Germany (27 per cent), France (28 per cent), Romania (27 per cent), Italy (26 per cent), Spain (18 per cent), and Belgium (17 per cent).

The survey of 7,000 smartphone users aged 18-24 from across Europe also showed one in four people had used social media sites behind the wheel; and that young male drivers were the most likely to ignore the risks. Nearly all drivers surveyed agreed the activities were dangerous.

Ford has found that snapping a 'selfie' at the wheel could distract a driver for 14sec, and checking social media distracts for as much as 20sec – long enough, at 60mph, to travel the length of five football pitches.

Kevin Clinton, head of road safety at the Royal Society for the Prevention of Accidents (RoSPA), said: "Ford's survey is very disturbing and is another example of how using new technology, such as smartphones, inappropriately can create serious risks to people's lives. Taking a selfie while driving will significantly distract the driver, reducing their awareness of what is happening on the road around them and slowing their reactions. In 2012, 71 people were killed and almost 500 seriously injured in crashes involving in-vehicle distractions."

Car crashes are the leading cause of death for young drivers and Ford last year introduced to Europe the award-winning Ford Driving Skills for Life programme to provide hands-on training to more than 5,000 18-24-year-olds and online training for thousands more.

The company is now expanding its free Ford Driving Skills for Life programme across the UK (<https://forddsfl.co.uk>) to include Glasgow, home to the 2014 Commonwealth Games, on September 18-20, followed by Gaydon, Warwickshire, October 4-5 and Chobham, Surrey, October 7-9. The updated training programme will highlight the dangers of taking a 'selfie' and other smartphone and social media activities behind the wheel.

"Taking a 'selfie' has for many young people quickly become an integral part of everyday life – but it's the last thing you should be doing behind the wheel of a car," said Jim Graham, Ford Driving Skills for Life manager. "It is deeply worrying that so many young drivers admit to taking a photo while driving and we will be doing all we can to highlight the potential dangers through driver education."

Ford Driving Skills for Life was launched in the US 10 years ago and has provided hands-on training to more than 100,000 young drivers around the world. So far in Europe, the programme has been rolled out in the UK, Germany, France, Romania, Italy, Spain and Belgium.

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Football - the new season

Simkin frustrated after Magpies spurn chances

Arlesey 1 Dorchester Town 0
Southern Premier - att: 125

MAGPIES manager Phil Simkin was left frustrated after his side lost their opening Southern League Premier game at Arlesey.

"We peppered their goal but their keeper Nick Thompson, played an absolute blinder; I think there were scouts from league clubs watching who I suspect would be impressed."

The 6'4" former Stevenage keeper capably dealt with anything Dorchester could throw at him, and so it was unfortunate that the only goal of the game should come through an error from Magpies keeper Alan Walker-Harris.

Walker-Harris has been absolutely outstanding in the pre-season matches, and but for his heroics particularly against AFC Bournemouth and Yeovil Town, those defeats would have been higher.

It was tragic therefore that he should drop a simple cross at the far post to the feet of Dean Mason who swept it home from close range.

"We were far the better side and created a number of chances which we might have scored with.

"I had said to Stuart Heath just moments before the goal that I would be disappointed to go home with just a point, we were so much on top.

"Everyone is desperately disappointed because it was a good start."

Dorchester included their two Cherries loanees, Callum Buckley and Mason Walsh, son of former Liverpool and Spurs striker Paul Walsh.

However Walsh was forced to leave the field after 12 minutes with an ankle injury and replaced by Sam Lananhan.

Dan Smith had the best chance of the game for the Magpies midway through the first-half, but dragged his effort wide.

Simkin said: "If Dan had scored, I think they would have folded.

"Our defence had next to nothing to do in the second-half, and even a draw would not have been a fair result."

It would appear that Walsh would not be fit to play in last night's visit to Burnham, but that Jamie Gleeson will be available.



◆ **GOOD CHANCE:** Dan Smith

a profit this year, albeit small, at their AGM held at the club recently, having turned an operating deficit of £176 the previous season into a £188 surplus last term.

All the officers were re-elected with the addition of Carolyn Barrett as assistant treasurer, as were the committee members with the exception of Malcolm Davenport who did not seek re-election.

In his report secretary Harold Gill advised that the DTFSC donated £3000 this year to the club with match day cash draws the main source of income.

The Christmas Draw and fund raising at the Dorset County Show also helped swell the funds, along with attendance at the Dorchester Community Fun Day and Carnival Day.

One of the draw backs to contributing more is the lack

of new recruits for the Membership Scheme.

This only attracted nine new members last year, and he urged more people to join in order to increase the donation to the club, and at such a small cost of £5 a year it would help considerably.

Mr Gill thanked all the committee for their hard work throughout the year and acknowledged the input of both Monica Edge and Dave Ring who had both stood down for personal and work reasons respectively, and welcomed Mrs Barrett.

He added that last year's poor results and eventual relegation was reflected in the home match income, but hoped that this year would be different.

He wished manager Phil Simkin and his assistant Stuart Heath 'all the luck in the world', adding that for all the work involved they certainly deserved an improved return.

Mr Gill then urged all supporters not only to support the Magpies in the season to come but to help financially by increasing donations and support schemes.

Dorset Premier League

PORTLAND UNITED 3 CRANBORNE 0

IN a one sided game, the defending champions ran out easy winners and should have won by a larger margin.

However, a first-half goal from Charles May in the 18th minute, followed by second-half strikes from Lewis Clarke (55th) and Adam Linaker (80th) were enough to set the Islanders on their way.

STURMINSTER MARSHALL 1 WEYMOUTH RESERVES 3

MAKING a welcome return to the League, Sturminster acquitted themselves well against last season's runners-up, but ultimately were given a lesson on what is required at this level.

That said, the visitors were rocked as the home side took a first minute lead through Albert Harwood with a well taken goal.

It took until the 40th minute for Weymouth to finally break the home defences defiance when Sean Zima headed home.

The second-half followed much the same pattern as the first with the home side battling for every ball and the visitors probing away.

With 15 minutes to go Weymouth finally were rewarded when Carl McClements pounced on a loose ball in the box to fire home.

Weymouth's third came courtesy of an excellent move in the 85th minute that saw a crossfield ball from Staines reach Beesley who squared it to Paul Ford who knocked home.

Dorchester rugby

Dorchester shake off summer blues

DORCHESTER Rugby Club's preparations for the forthcoming season are intensifying, with a programme of friendly matches to shake off the effects of the summer break.

First the 2nd and 3rd XV's are combining to welcome Salisbury 3rds this Saturday.

This match is an ideal opportunity for anyone who is wondering about taking up the game, or returning to it, and new players of any ability are always welcome. Kick off is 3pm.

For more information, contact Tom Evans (2nd team captain) on 07446 695868, or Allan Bickley (3rd team manager) at gladiators@dorchester-rfc.co.uk.

First team action follows the following Friday (August 22nd) with an evening fixture at home to Blandford, kick off 7.30 pm; and at home again on Saturday August 30th, this time to Ivel Barbarians, kick-off 3pm.

All pre-season matches will be accompanied by a BBQ.

Senior training continues on Tuesday and Thursday evenings at the club, from 7pm to 9pm; there is also Ladies training on Wednesday evenings.

For a more gentle introduction to the game, or just to have fun while getting fit, there is an informal touch rugby session at the club on Tuesday evenings, from 7.30 to 8.30, to which all ages and genders are welcome.

Simply turn up and introduce yourself; though children must be accompanied by adults.

Former Tiger joins as coach

DORCHESTER Rugby Club are delighted to announce that they have secured the services of coach Scott Bemand to add to Martyn Peel's team

The former Leicester, Bath and Harlequins scrum-half joins the club as a specialist skills and attack coach.

Bemand who was an England tourist to Australia in 2006 coached professionally at Loughborough after retirement and has been a specialist England Under 17 and Under 18 scrum half coach.

Turn out at pre-season training has so far been excellent.

Cricket extras

Triangle looking for support

PORTLAND Red Triangle are asking for club members to support both on and off the field when the youth section take on their parents as they seek revenge for their indoor defeat last year.

Raising funds

The event on Sunday, August 17th is part of the club's continuing fund-raising campaign and there is something for everyone on the day.

The committee are urging all members to come along and support the event

There will be plenty to do and they will particularly grateful if senior members could spare a few hours to help run the BBQ and bar.

Anyone interested in helping should contact Grant Nevan or Amanda.

Weymouth Schools Junior Table Tennis League Awards



◆ **UNBEATEN:** Holy Trinity B's Louis Gear and Ethan Clark, who along with Travis Reynolds were unbeaten in winning Division 4, receive their medals from Simon Burke and the watching Neil Hardisty



◆ **TOO STRONG:** Rosa McKechnie and Edith Dedman of Holy Trinity F, who along with Isabel Stainer won the Girls Development Division

Cricket tables

Premier One	Pld	Pts
Poole Town	15	207
WEYMOUTH	15	187
Parley	15	187
Broadstone	15	186
Swanage	15	187
Stalbridge	15	168
Wimborne & Colehill	15	144
Ferndown Wayfarers	15	94

Premier Two	Pld	Pts
MARTINSTOWN	15	216
DORCHESTER	15	209
Sherborne	15	203
Bere Regis	15	175
Shroton	15	169
Blandford	15	119
Wimborne & C'hill 2nds	15	105
Weymouth 2nds	15	96

County Division Two	Pld	Pts
Cerne Valley	14	244
CATTISTOCK	14	201
PORTLAND RT	13	188
Bournemouth 3rds	13	144
DORCHESTER 2nds	13	136
Stalbridge 2nds	13	110
Wimborne & C'hill 3rds	14	99
BEAMINSTER	13	95
WEYMOUTH 2nds	13	80

County Division Three	Pld	Pts
Wareham	15	216
Kingston Lacy	15	200
Sturminster Marshall	15	198
Poole Town 3rds	15	179
Sherborne 2nds	15	170
BRIDPORT	15	141
Hamworthy Rec 2nds	15	124
Broadstone 3rds	15	121*
Christchurch 2nds	15	103
Pimperne	15	82*

County Division Four	Pld	Pts
Shillingstone 2nds	15	218
Swanage 2nds	15	204
Sturminster & Hinton	15	201
Lychett	15	192
Corfe Mullen 2nds	15	179
ABBOTSBURY	15	170
Blandford 2nds	15	147
PORTLAND RT 2nds	15	140
Cerne Valley 2nds	15	125
Bradford Abbas	15	70

County Division Five	Pld	Pts
CHARLTON DOWN	14	215
CHALKE VALLEY	14	209
Shaftesbury	13	141
Witchampton 2nds	13	135
MARTINSTOWN 2nds	13	133
PUDDLETOWN	13	131
Poole Town 4ths	13	94
Broadstone 4ths	13	51*
Winfrith Newburgh	14	14*

County Division Six	Pld	Pts
Stalbridge 3rds (C)	14	199
Bere Regis 2nds	14	198
Marnhull 2nds	14	163
Parley 5ths	14	160
Wimborne & C'hill 4ths	14	135
Blandford 3rds	14	83*
BEAMINSTER 2nds	14	69*
Cranborne 2nds	14	35*

Sunday Division One	Pld	Pts
Dewlish (C)	12	193
Old Bournemouthians	12	189
PORTLAND RT	12	182
St Georges	12	180
Broadstone	12	116
Swanage	12	84*
Winton	12	78*

Sunday Div Three	Pld	Pts
Studland (C)	10	177
Pokesdown Willows	10	136
CHARLTON DOWN	10	132
Witchampton	10	132
Corfe Mullen	10	119
Bere Regis	10	15*

Sunday Division Four	Pld	Pts
Henstridge (C)	12	229
Cheselbourne	12	156
PORTLAND RT 2nds	12	152
SYMENE	12	129
Broadstone 2nds	12	128
Shillingstone	12	117
Ferndown Wayfarers	12	29*

DEVON LEAGUE	Pld	Pts
Yelverton Bohemians	15	221
Babbacombe	15	222
Filleigh	15	207
Feniton	15	165
Seaton	15	161*
UPLYME & LYME REGIS	15	161
Ashburton	15	147
Whitchurch Wayfarers	15	143
Clyst St George	15	133
Honiton	15	106

2nd XI Division D (E)	Pld	Pts
Seaton	15	269
Shobrook Park	15	210
Whimple	15	200
UPLYME & LYME REGIS	15	195
Kentisbeare	15	156
Countess Wear	15	148
Kilmington	15	140
North Devon 3rds	15	134*
Halberton & SP	15	118*
Honiton	15	116

MID WESSEX LEAGUE	Pld	Pts
BROADWINSOR	9	145
Bruton	8	100
North Perrott	10	100*
Queen Camel	7	94
Ilminster	5	69
White Horse	8	29
Compton Dundon	7	28*

(* = Pts deducted)

Cricket - A View From the boundary

Poole take control at top as depleted Weymouth falter

WITH STUART BROOM

**Dorset Funeral Plan League
Premier League One
BROADSTONE 235-5 BEAT WEYMOUTH 231-7
BY 5 WICKETS.**

WEYMOUTH found the loss of five regulars just too much as Broadstone reached their target with just ten balls to spare.

The defeat sees Poole Town take a 20-point lead ahead of the other three, who are separated by just one point, in the race for the title.

Despite 64 from Matt Lawes and 53 from Dean Janaway, the Seaside's total of 231-7 was just not enough.

Despite some good performances from all the Weymouth bowlers, the loss of the experience of Simon Browne and Dave Trotter could not hold back the home batsmen.

Weymouth will now look to open a gap over Parley who visit Redlands on Saturday and hope that Broadstone can defeat Poole Town to get them back in the race.

**Premier League 2
Dorchester 118-6 beat
Bere Regis 117 all out by 4 wickets**

DORCHESTER bounced back into promotion contention with a four-wicket win over Bere Regis in the first of the play-off matches.

It was Bere Regis that had dented their hopes of topping the league just three weeks ago, so the county town were wary of their opponents.

It looked like they had got the start they wanted with James Dunham (1-18) and Dan Belt (4-25) both very economic in their ten overs and both grabbing an early wicket to leave the visitors 10-2.

However, opener N White and P Macklin who scored 81 in their last meeting recovered the situation by putting on 40 for the third wicket, but the introduction of spinner Shaun Little changed that. He took four wickets (4-14) including Macklin (23) and White (22) as Bere slumped to 60-5.



◆ CENTURIAN: Ian Legg

This brought G.King who was also a threat with the bat in their previous game to the wicket, and whilst he hit 25, skipper Belt, who claimed three victims including King and Will Caldwell (1-26), bowled N Cheeseman (18) and closed the innings at 117 all out.

Although Dorchester lost Pete Moxom (3) early on, with Caldwell (54) holding down one end, Holland (5), Fergus Guppy (19) and Belt took the county town within reach of their target at 105-3.

However, D Griffiths (3-18) trapped Belt leg before for 22 and then bowled Caldwell for a very patient half-century as well as Eamonn Scott (1) saw Dorchester stumble to 112-6 before Dan Morris saw them over the line with over 10 overs to spare.

Captain Belt said: "The win has put us within seven points of Martinstown, so this Saturday's game is of huge importance."

"Having been put in the field first and to dismiss them for 117, we'd take that all day long really, and it could have been less."

"Shaun Little bowled amazingly again to take 4-14 and I took 4-25 which was useful. A big factor as well was the reduction in extras; only nine in this match, and only four wides in the last two games which is where we have struggled at times this sea-

son giving away 30 plus extras which can win or lose a game."

"Will Caldwell batted very well and got us to the point where we could win the game. It was disappointing to lose three wickets close to the finish as its giving away extra points and something we need to look at."

**SHERBORNE 110 ALL OUT
BEAT MARTINSTOWN 90 ALL OUT BY 20 RUNS**

MARTINSTOWN fell victim to a brilliant piece of bowling from Sherborne's Tim Durston that saw their lead at the top of the Premier lead cut to seven points.

Having dismissed the hosts for 110 thanks to some superb bowling from Liam Banfield and Stuart Fry, Martinstown were beaten by 20 runs as Durston took 7-19 in his ten overs.

Martinstown skipper Ed Nichols said: "It wasn't a bad wicket; but there was some terrific bowling on both sides, and although we only had to chase a relatively low 110, in a lot of ways that is difficult to do, especially if you lose a couple of wickets early on. Having said that Tim Durston bowled brilliantly and deserved his wickets."

"For our part Stu Fry was once again a menace at the top of the order; two of his wickets were massive inswingers; and Liam Banfield was equally as potent and at one stage had taken 4-0 from five overs."

Fry (4-25) had helped reduce Sherborne to 15-3 but mid-over performances from James Elliot-Square (27) and an unbeaten 27 from Andrew Nulton helped the hosts to 110 after Banfield (5-8) had decimated the lower order.

Martinstown fared no better and were soon 30-6. Only opener Lee House (27) and Matt Camp appeared to have any answers to Durston, but when they both fell in quick succession defeat appeared probable at 68-8.

Liam Moss (7 not out) and Matt Rimmer (12) edged their way slowly but the end came after 28 overs with Martinstown now having to regroup for their vital game with Dorchester which has been switched to the Rec for logistical reasons.

**County Division Two
WIMBORNE & COLEHILL 3RD 143 ALL OUT
LOST TO BEAMINSTER 204 ALL OUT BY 61 RUNS**

BEAMINSTER achieved only their second victory of the season, but in beating fellow strugglers Wimborne & Colehill 3rds gave themselves a chance of avoiding relegation, the victory taking them above Weymouth 2nds and now only four points behind their hosts.

Once again Beaminster struggled to raise a team and called upon two 13-year olds to complete the 11, and then found themselves stuck in heavy traffic that delayed the start, and reduced the game to 41 overs apiece.

Asked to bat, Beaminster lost Richie Runyard (4) early on before Ross Baker took advantage of the small boundaries whilst scoring an explosive 40.

Meanwhile, opener Jack Walklett (52) anchored the innings as he batted patiently to compile his maiden half-century for the club.

Wickets fell regularly until David Persey batting at seven, hit an aggressive 32, and with 43 extras swelling the total, the final wicket fell in the final over as Beaminster's innings closed on 204.

In reply, excellent pressure was exerted by opening bowlers Ross Baker (2-38) and Adie Phillips (2-31) who took two quick wickets to leave Wimborne 26-2. Baker then trapped opener Norton (24) leg before to make that 30-3.

Dean and Jones started to compose a good stand before Baker knocked over the latter's stumps.

Man-of-the-Match Walklett (4-32) was then introduced and he immediately started taking wickets, and an early finish looked possible at 95-8 until T Bartlett (59) played aggressively to give Wimborne some hope.

However, Persey (2-19) claimed the final two wickets as Beaminster eased to victory; Wimborne dismissed for 143, 61 runs short of their target.

Baker said: "This was a particularly pleasing victory considering we struggled to field a full side, with two 13-year olds, Leo Gurd and Oliver James making their first

team debuts and both acquitting themselves well under pressure."

**BOURNEMOUTH 3RD 203-9 LOST TO
DORCHESTER 2ND 284-1 BY 81 RUNS**

DORCHESTER 2nds won the toss and decided to bat on a hard, flat wicket which allowed the Bournemouth opening bowlers to get some good bounce and carry with the new ball.

Rhys Cole (6) opening the innings with Ian Legg was bowled first ball, but was reprieved when it was called a no ball.

However, he was soon out, bringing Steve Clifford to the crease and he was soon pulling the ball to the boundary as Bournemouth continued to bowl short.

The pair soon settled in and playing their shots with great fluency both reached their half-century.

Clifford then accelerated through his ten and with two balls and needing two for his 150, pushed the ball for a single, allowing Legg to complete his ton with a boundary off the last ball and close Dorchester's innings on 284-1.

The Bournemouth batsmen took a liking to the pace of Tom Blair and Pete Horne in reply and raced along to 70 in no time.

But the introduction of Nick Joslin and Stuart Beasley had the desired effect of slowing things down and Joslin claimed four wickets before drinks.

Undeterred, the Bournemouth batsmen continued to go for their shots and although Beasley and Jamie Ganaway claimed wickets, they remained dogged to the end denying Dorchester maximum bowling points but victory by 81 runs.

Skipper Beasley said: "In the end we got 19 points which was fantastic for the team."

"Steve and Ian batted superbly and just showed how good they are, and for Steve to finally get his 100 after coming so close on his last two outings was a great achievement for him."

"As for the team, it was a great win and it brought back the confidence after the loss to Cerne Valley last week."

**PORTLAND RT 266-7 BEAT STALBRIDGE 2ND
80 ALL OUT BY 186 RUNS****WEYMOUTH 2ND 93 ALL OUT LOST TO
CERNE VALLEY 289-7 BY 196 RUNS****County Division Three
BROADSTONE 3RD 117 ALL OUT LOST TO
BRIDPORT 121-7 BY 3 WICKETS**

BRIDPORT got back to winning ways with a win at Broadstone 3rds; with both sides only having ten players.

Bridport's opening bowlers Liam Toohill (5-24) and Rod Gay (1-15) tied up the home batsmen and at the end of their spells had reduced Broadstone to 46-6 off 16 overs.

Replacements Kevin Pragnell (0-16), skipper Duane Gay (0-14) and Mark Smith (0-4) were as miserly from their four overs, before Ollie Lee (3-20) knocked over the tailend to dismiss the hosts for 117 all out.

Openers Duane Gay (29) and Smith (25) set about the bowling from the start and put on 50 for the first wicket, 40 of which were boundaries.

Smith's dismissal - trapped leg before - triggered a batting collapse as Ollie Lee (3), Alex Lee and Adam Gay for ducks, and Duane Gay went in quick succession.

Arthur Gay (8) hung around with Toohill to start rebuilding the innings, but when he and Mark Tozer (0) went, Bridport looked in danger of not reaching their target at 90-7.

However, the eldest of the Gay's, the evergreen Rod (11 not out), brought his experience to bear and with Toohill (24 not out) they saw Bridport home in just 21 overs.

Duane Gay said: "Liam Toohill was virtually impossible to play - he and Rod Gay tied down the top of the Broadstone batting."

"They got great support from the others who all bowled very economically including the experienced Kevin Pragnell, giving us a reasonably low target to meet."

**County Division Four
BLANDFORD 2ND 171 ALL OUT LOST TO
PORTLAND RT 2ND 212 ALL OUT
BY 41 RUNS**

PORTLAND'S second string got back to winning ways with a hard fought victory

at Blandford.

Having lost the toss Portland were asked to bat and were soon in trouble losing Kit Rudolph (1) with the score on 19, but a magnificent second wicket partnership of 156 between Elliot Sawyer (97) and Cameron Midgely (63) put the islanders in a strong position.

However, Portland were not to have it all their own way, and the introduction of K Abbott to the attack caused havoc as he returned match figures of 6-19 from 7.2 overs as the remaining batsmen found him almost impossible to play.

Jon Cameron was the only other to get double figures with a hard-hitting as Blandford dismissed Portland for 212.

The hosts' innings got off to a slow but steady start with openers J Mitchell (28) and C Moxham (15) producing an opening stand of 45, but when these two went in quick succession and the loss of a further wicket the game seemed to have swung in Portland's favour.

Blandford fought back and Hainest (49) and Abbot (47) looked to have swung the game their way.

But a double bowling change by skipper Grant Neven quickly reaped rewards, as impressive 12-year-old Jacob Coombes bowled Abbott and Neven had Hainest caught by Rudolph.

The returning Richie Samuel (2-23) quickly got in the wickets as Blandford's reply crumbled against accurate bowling and superb fielding.

Neven (3-11 from five overs) continued to cause the remaining batsman problems as he slowed the run rate and took two further wickets before T Morris ran out the final batsman and secure maximum points for Portland with two balls to spare.

Neven was full of praise for his charges. "Elliot and Cameron finally clicked today and produced a class display that all at the club knew they were capable of, and whilst they will take the plaudits, this was a real team effort all round."

"Veteran Jodie Locke, Richie, Kit, Jon and Jacob bowled well and caused the batsmen, and it was nice to have a good game with the ball myself."

**County Division Five
PUDDLETOWN 205-4 BEAT CHARLTON DOWN
204-9 BY 6 WICKETS**

CHARLTON Down clinched promotion to Division Four despite a six wicket defeat away at Puddletown, as third place Shaftesbury were beaten at Poole Town 4th's.

A superb unbeaten 122 not out from Puddletown's Lucas Allen, provided the foundations to the well-judged run chase to victory with nine balls remaining.

Injuries to both opening bowlers Matt Stevens and Nick Voss didn't help Charlton Down's bowling options, the pair only bowling four overs between them and both having to leave the field of play.

Batting first Charlton Down found the accurate bowling of Adam Weir and Mark Hoffman difficult to score from with only 26 runs and the loss of captain Jave Miller (14) coming from the first 10 overs.

The Voss brothers could not reproduce their current good form and both fell with the score on 36-3; Weir (1-21) bowing Nick (10) and Luke (14) returning a simple top edge to Hoffman (2-38).

A stabilising partnership between Javed

Gill and Matt Stevens was brought to an end when Gill was caught off another top edge with a mistimed pull leaving the visitors in trouble at 69-3 off the first 20 overs.

However, Stevens batted beautifully for his 29, timing the ball through the covers and square of the wicket until he was caught off a leading edge, and when Ian Doyle was then brilliantly caught at first slip, the Charlton innings was struggling at 115-7.

But 18-year olds Jack Eveleigh (33no) and Jacob Holland (29) had other ideas and added 80 runs in only eight overs pushing the score to 195 before Holland (29) was bowled.

Classical cover drives, great running between the wickets, were mixed with some thumping pull shots to all parts of the ground and some wayward bowling helping the score to end on 204-8.

Puddletown's innings had a welcome boost with opening bowler Nick Voss injuring his back whilst batting and was unable to field and then in the seventh over Matt Stevens injured his ankle and also had to leave the field.

Allen and Hoffman (28) took full advantage; Hoffman playing the defensive role and Allen (122no) the aggressor. Their 50 run partnership came up in the 9th over and the 100 run partnership in the 20th over.

It was only James Pretty (0-26) who was able to bowl with good control against Allen who latched onto any ball slightly wide or short.

A double bowling change of Gill and Miller saw the Puddletown score go from 121-0 to 141-3 as Miller removed Hoffman to a brilliant one handed catch by Matt Venn behind the stumps.

Weir was then well caught on the mid wicket boundary by Holland and Venn took a regulation catch to remove Thomson, but the veteran Barry Knight (21) used his experience to help Allen guide Puddletown to a good victory with only nine balls remaining.

Pete Tucker said: "Puddletown well deserved their victory and it could have been by a much bigger margin if not for Jack Eveleigh and Jacob Holland batting display and some later wayward bowling from Puddletown."

"Lucas Allen's all-round performance, two catches and two wickets and in particular his innings was fantastic and you would have to look at the premier league for a better display of shot selection."

"With the depleted bowling attack of two opening bowlers and myself on the boundary, I was pleased with the way our occasional bowlers stuck to their task, and at one stage needing 70 runs off the last 10 overs it looked like a tense finish."

"Thanks must go to Mark Stephen and Mark Eveleigh who came on as sub fielders for Nick Voss and Matt Stevens."

"Once again the support from parents and supporters has been immense during the season and today in particular."

"Back to back promotion was always the target for the season and to do this with two games remaining is a fantastic achievement for our young team."

"Next season will bring fresh challenges against more experienced teams and will give the younger element of the team a chance to express and show off their abilities in Division Four."

**MARTINSTOWN 2ND 111 ALL OUT LOST
TO WITCHAMPTON 2ND 112-5 BY 5 WICKETS****Top batting performances**

Steve Clifford (Dorch 2nd) 149no; Ian Legg (Dorchester 2nd) 102no; Elliot Sawyer (Portland 2nd) 97; Matt Lawes (Weymouth) 64; Cameron Midgely (Portland 2nd) 63; Will Caldwell (Dorchester) 54; Dean Janaway (Weymouth) 53; Jack Walklett (Beaminster) 52.

Top bowling performances

Liam Banfield (Martinstown) 5-8; Liam Toohill (Bridport) 5-24; Shaun Little (Dorchester) 4-14; Dan Belt (Dorchester) 4-25; Stu Fry (Martinstown) 4-25; Jack Walklett (Beaminster) 4-32.

◆ DEADLY: Liam Banfield

Bridport bowls

Men's B pull rabbit out the hat

BRIDPORT'S South Dorset Evening League Division One Men's B team were the headlines this week with a remarkable comeback that saw Clive Langdon, Mike Smith, David Eastman and Chris Taylor turn a 7-13 deficit after 14 ends into a 23-21 victory with two fives and a six.

With Derek Hoskins, John Ireland, Bob Seadon, and Sam Dunn winning 29-12, and Ken Sanger, Peter Scott, Steve Bartlett and Ian Newitt also victorious 20-19, Bridport beat PORTLAND VICTORIA 72-32.

The Men's A side also won, swamping WEYMOUTH/MELCOMBE REGIS with another massive three rink win 76-38, headed by Chris Thorne, Paul Tibble, Fred Pomeroy and Roy Lidington 39-10.

Bill Payne, Brian Iverson, John Carter and Ben Jones were winners 23-14 as were Brian Rumble, Bob Taylor, Dave Roberts and Craig Bosher 19-14.

In Division Two the C team were unlucky to lose 53-58 with Alan Cowdrey, Michael Higman, B. Stone and Dave Smith winning well 26-15.

Unfortunately Peter Carnell, Roger Herbert, Mel Griffiths and Neil Kennedy dropped three on the last end to lose 17-18, with Dave Robbins, Dan Hoskins, Brian Pratt and Max Dare also going down 10-25.

There was a welcome win for Bridport B in the Mens Dorset League Division Two, only their second of the season, when they beat SHERBORNE A 65-40 with all rinks winning well.

Griffiths, Pratt, Alan Skelton, and Neil Kennedy won 22-11, Cowdrey, Higman, Dave Hocking and Herbert 23-14, and Dare, Norman Ludders, B. Parker and Carnell 20-13.

Blue Edna Paisley lost to DORCHESTER 23-34. Jan Tattershall, Janet Bird, Joan Smith won 12-15, but Dinah Wilson, Marion Tocher and Mary Marsh went down 11-19.

The Red Edna Paisley team won 36-25 against WEYMOUTH/MELCOMBE REGIS; Mary Eastman, Pauline Newitt and Jill Harding 18-11, and Chris Mias, Sue Fox and Pam Gray 18-14, but lost 28-40 against GREENHILL; Mary Corfield, Eastman, and Harding losing 14-16, as did Minas, Fox and Gray 14-24.

The Ladies South Dorset Evening League were victorious, with Gill Hunt, Fox, Di Butcher and Jean Seadon winning 19-5 against PORTLAND VICTORIA.

In a mens friendly, Bridport lost 39-77 to CHARDSTOCK, the best Bridport rink Bartlett, Allen Bird, and Skelton losing 16-18.

Bees news - New season underway

WITH STUART BROOM

Ressies get off to a flier

POOLE BOROUGH 1 BRIDPORT RESERVES 2
MANAGER Robin Townsend was pleased with his side's victory at Poole Borough.

Unlike the first team who had a good pre-season but failed in their opening game, the reserves were the opposite.

"We've not had the best pre-season, but on Saturday hit the ground running and I'm very pleased with a good win. There was no man-of-the-match as everyone contributed which was excellent."

Although Jamie Fry has declared himself happy to play in goal this season if required, he lined up in his usual centre-back position with Billy Fleet in goal.

The Bees took the lead in the 18th minute when a good move involving Roger Cummings, Harry Fleet and Gary Bulman saw the latter square the ball to give Ben Clarke and easy tap-in.

Poole equalised five minutes before the break when Fleet was beaten by a 35 yard lob leaving Bridport on the back foot until halftime.

However they came back out after the break and Clarke showed why he has been the top goal scorer for the last seven seasons, by catching the Boro' defence on the break ten minutes from time and calmly rounding the keeper to put the Bees ahead again.

Flying Fleet

Poole had a chance to equalise three minutes later when Fry was adjudged to have brought down an opponent inside the box. But Fleet became the hero

by diving to his right to save the resultant spot kick and win Bridport the points.

The hosts were then reduced to ten men for a foul on Bulman.

Townsend said: "I can't say the ref had the best of games, and it looked like Jamie clearly played the ball. I was worried he might have been sent off, but I think the ref might have realised he made a mistake and only booked him."

"I'm not sure either that it was a red card offence for the foul on Gary."

Townsend will have his hands full this season keeping all his players happy with the club withdrawing the third team.

"It will be difficult, I know that, and I hope to be able to include some of the youth team to help out, but I am disappointed at the response from the Under 17s management team."

"Last season the club asked to use some of the players but were firmly rebuked by their manager who claimed he didn't want to expose his players to men's football."

"Yet later in the season I notice that they are playing for Beaminster and other Perry Street League clubs, which in my opinion is much more physical than Dorset League football."

I would also think it was disappointing for the youth players who have the opportunity to play at a higher level but are being held back."

Ambers under starters orders

NETHERBURY Football Club are holding a Race Night at Tanners Sports Bar in West Allington on Saturday, September 6th.

With the first race at 8pm be sure to get there early to place your bets or take ownership of the runners.

Bridport Summer Darts

Division One	Pld	Pts
Dat Anchor.....	11	45
Four Caret Gold.....	11	45
Mishaps.....	11	40
Odd Help Us.....	11	36
King Charles A.....	11	29
Mixed Odds Up.....	12	28
Find a Red.....	11	25
Sue's Rebels.....	12	16

Division Two	Pld	Pts
Midnight Runners.....	9	40
Cider Drinkers.....	10	37
Pat the Hat.....	11	32
We Found Adel.....	10	31
Just for Fun.....	9	29
King Charles B.....	10	21
No Hope, No Fear.....	11	20

Hunters shoot down Lippizanders

HUNTERS are the new leaders of Section One of the Bridport & West Dorset Evening League after beating Lippizanders 17-11.

Barbara and Keith Jenkins and Mike Long finished 4,1 to knock their opponents off top spot, before following up with an 18-6 victory over last placed Andalusians.

However, Tony Bartlett, Keith Brown and Mike Fletcher showed they should not be ignored by thumping Clydesdales 22-7.

Meanwhile the Brumbys of Gerry Moss, Julie Bright and Phil Hedges are chasing Hunters hard hard, beating Palominos 13-10.

Keith Peraux, Ann Parkins and Margaret Pestelle's Mustangs still have a one point lead in Section Two after a 19-6 win over Trotters, but Geoff Hansen, Adrian Legg and Keith Hick's Shetlands are right on their heels after beating Cobs 17-9.

Meanwhile, Viv and Roy Gill and

Barry Mapson's Pintos beat Apaloosas 17-9.

Something spooked the pussycat Tigers of Sylvia and Mike Fletcher and Pat Raven in Section A of the Morning League as they ripped apart leaders Lynx 18-9, but they remain bottom.

Barbara Jenkins, Ann Turtell and Pestelle's Lions were also in a mean mood destroying Panthers 23-6, but were given a taste of their own medicine though as Rose and Chris Everest and Clive Bayne's Lynx held on to top spot beating them 17-12.

Wildcats squad of Sandra and Mel Hargett, Bernie Woodward and Mike Parsons virtually clinched their play-off spot in Section B after a 19-6 win over Bobcats and a 14-14 draw against the Jaguars of Chris and Brian Legg and Parkins who finished 1,1,5,2 for a point.

Chris Cowdrey, Chris Clarke and Robin Pither's Ounces won 15.10 against Cougars.

FOUR young Chard & District Swimming Club swimmers qualified to compete at this years ASA South West Regional Junior Age Group Championships for 14 years and under swimmers, held over two weekends at Millfield School and Bristol Henleaze.

To compete at this level swimmers need to have previously achieved the necessary qualifying times for their age, allowing them to race against the best swimmers in the South West of England.

Three of the swimmers achieved qualifying times for the first time to swim at these Championships - Henry Taswell 13, qualified for eight events, 100 & 200m butterfly, 100 & 200m freestyle, 100 & 200m backstroke and 200 & 400m Individual Medley.

Joss Copeman 12, qualified in the 100m backstroke and Xanthe Dyer 12, in the 100m breaststroke.

Fourteen-year-old Lewis Pearson

was competing in his second Regional Championships and swam in five events, 100, 200 & 400m freestyle and 100 & 200m backstroke. All swam long course personal bests in their events.

Seven of the Club's Regional qualifiers also travelled to Gloucester for the South West Regional Sprint competition last weekend.

Thirteen-year-old Henry Taswell achieved third place overall in his age group and was presented with a bronze award.

Jamie Pullinger came 4th in the 15 year boys and Lewis Pearson 6th in the 14 year boys, and in the girls Hannah Pullinger was 6th and Tessa Down 7th overall in the 17 and over girls.

Twelve-year-olds Joss Copeman and Xanthe Dyer also swam and achieved several personal best times.

Congratulations to all these swimmers for achieving the necessary standard to compete at this level.



◆ CHARD SC swimmers who have competed at Regional level this season: Hannah Pullinger 18, Tessa Down 17, Melissa Hanson 16, Joe Spurway 16, Jamie Pullinger 15, Lewis Pearson 14, Henry Taswell 13, Joss Copeman 12 and Xanthe Dyer 12.

Chant's batsmen in charge in final

AP CHANT'S batsmen were in fine form in the final of the Crosby Cup last Tuesday against Squanderers.

Their top five batsmen - Ashley Chant, Jon Legg, Shaun Parkman, Amos Cauldwell and Brett Frampton all reached the maximum retirement figure of 30 as they amassed 168-7 in their allocated 16 eight-ball overs.

It looked like a lost cause as Squanderers slumped to 20-3 in reply, but they rallied and were determined not to go down without a fight.

Nick Neale, sporting a swollen black eye after being hit in the face when a ball flew off the artificial wicket when keeping wicket, reached the maximum 30, whilst Steve Piper hammered 26.

Neale's brothers Nathan (18) and Todd with a late hard hitting 13 not out saw them amass a respectable 133-6 when stumps were drawn.

The trophies were presented by Paul Crosby the son of one the competition's two founders Colin Crosby along with Fred Bowditch, back in 1976, and Paul's young son Jasper.



◆ CHAMPIONS: AP Chant's pictured with Paul Crosby (centre front) and his son Jasper (holding cup)

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◆ A KING AT THE FORT: Lyme Regis Football Club entertained acting 'Royalty' at the Davey Fort last week. Bradley James (pictured) of King Arthur fame in the hit TV show *Merlin* was amongst a team of London-based scriptwriters and actors picked by ex-Seaside Andy Rattenbury which beat a Lyme XI 8-4. Photo by GEOFF BAKER

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Martinstown next generation enjoy brilliant season

MARTINSTOWN Cricket Club enjoyed yet another brilliant youth season with the under 13s and under 11s becoming cup winners, while the introduction of a semi-structured under 9 season ensured the next generation of cricketers experience the game at beautiful Ashton.

Youth Coordinator Lee House said: "We had over 70 youngsters attend cricket sessions during the course of the season."

"We ran five youth sides from under 9s through to under 18s and it was a real pleasure to see so many youngsters learn and enjoy the sport."

The under 13s tied the Dave Cheffey cup after an enthralling draw against a very strong Cerne

Valley side, and the under 11s defeated Dorchester to retain the Archie Masters cup.

House continued: "The youngsters have worked really hard this year and we encourage the sport to be played in the correct spirit."

"Our youth sides feed our adult sides with the majority of the adult teams containing players from our vibrant youth section, and it's great to see them performing superbly in the Dorset Funeral Plan leagues."

"We have, and still are, strongly dedicated to developing our own players at our fantastic ground."

"In order to do this, we are fortunate to have a dedicated coaching and management

team and one of the best grounds in the county."

Martinstown's annual subscriptions are one of the lowest in the area and are offering taster cricket sessions for girls starting Sunday, August 17th (10am-12 noon).

For more information please visit martinstown.play-cricket.com

House finished: "It's been a great summer for the club and many thanks to everyone who has helped, including sponsors. We will of course run indoor sessions this winter and we warmly welcome new players of all ages."

"Please visit our website or follow us on Twitter: @martinstowncc"



◆ **BRILLIANT FUTURE:** The future of Martinstown Cricket Club pose for a photo on training night.



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